

# NOTES RELATING TO THE COURT OF THE GOVERNOR AND COMPANY FOR SMELTING DOWN LEAD WITH PIT COAL AND SEA COAL (LLC)

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## INTRODUCTION

The Charter of this company dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1692 stipulates how the company was to be managed:

*“...here shall be from henceforth one of the said Company to be constituted elected and appointed in such form and manner as hereafter in these presents is expressed who shall be and be called the Governor of the said Company and that there shall be from henceforth a Deputy Governor and so many other persons not exceeding the number of twenty four who shall and be called the Assistants of the said Company to be constituted elected and appointed in such manner and form as hereinafter in these presents is directed...”*

*The said Governor, Deputy Governor and Assistants to be continued in their respective offices until the twenty fifth day of December next insuing the date hereof, and from and after that time until some other fit persons shall be duly elected and sworn into the said offices of Governor, Deputy Governor and Assistants of the said Company if they shall so long live.”*

Each member of the company will have 1 vote for every 5 shares they own up to a maximum of 4 votes per person. Members of the company were obliged to take the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and other Oaths for the due execution their role.

These elections usually took place at the end of December or beginning of January, exceptions being when a member of the Court died and needed to be replace.

In the period 1692 to 1695 it was usual to have a Court consisting of a Governor, Deputy Governor and 24 Assistants.

The reformed company of 1705 reduced the number of Assistants to ten, along with a Governor and Deputy Governor, in 1721 the number of Assistants was increased to 12. In 1780 the number of Assistants was reduced to ten, in 1882 to eight and by 1893 down to six.

The Company encountered many difficulties a result of which it proved to be unsuccessful and it was decided to close down at a meeting held on Monday the 27th May 1695, the administration of which was finalised 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1696<sup>1</sup>.

The company was reformed at a meeting held at the Crown and Cusheon in the Strand on the 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705.

As a number of those wishing to be a part of the company were Quakers, the difficulty of them not being willing to take an oath needed to be addressed.

In the Affirmation Act of 1696, the Quaker's principled objection to judicial oaths was recognised, and they were allowed to make a 'statutory declaration' instead. The company were advised by Sir Symon Harcourt (Solicitor General) that the affirmation of a Quaker is admissible in place of the oaths for entry into the Company.

In 1730 the company was in financial difficulty and at a meeting held 17<sup>th</sup> April 1730 : "It appearing to this Court that the Company's books of Accounts have not been regularly kept it was agreed that an accountant should be employed to put the same in order. And one Mr William Pardon being proposed to this Court for that purpose."

It also became apparent that the previous Court had been misusing funds, it was decided to pursue a claim against the previous Court members in Chancery. The result of this claim is recorded in the minutes of 12<sup>th</sup> June 1739.

#### **12th June 1739 LLC 9**

*"The secretary reported that on the 28<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> days of May last past and the first day of this instant June the cause depending in the Court of Chancery between this Company and John Hall and Joseph Hall Executors of Urban Hall Deceased (formerly governor) George Pick Executor of Enoch Floyd Deceased (Deputy Governor) John Gray Executor of Edward Wright Deceased (Assistant and Treasurer) John Tatnall & Edward Leeds Junior Executors of Edward Leeds Senior Deceased (Assistant) Arthur Woolley (Assistant) Sarah Hopkins Executrix of John Haddon & Bery Hopkins both Deceased (Assistants) William Smith (Assistant) Matthew Beachcroft & Robert Beachcroft Executors of Samuel Beachcroft Deceased (Assistant) James Creed & Edward Leeds Junior (Assistants) and James Allen Executor of John Toms Deceased (Assistant of this Company) was heard before the Lord Chancellor and on the last of those days a Decree was pronounced in favour of this Company.*

*The minutes where of as entered in the Registers Book are as follows."*

#### **Friday the 1st Day of June 1739**

#### **Lead Company against Beachcroft and others.**

#### **Lord Chancellor**

*"Declare that the allowance of the sum of £12,017 10s made by the Court of Assistants on the 25<sup>th</sup> July 1721 to Doctor Wright the then Treasurer of the Company on account of South Sea Stock & South Sea Subscriptions pretended to have been bought in the months of August, September and October 1720 and of the payments on such Subscriptions and also the allowance of the sum of £1,531 made by the said Court on the 27<sup>th</sup> March 1722 on account of the difference arising on a contract for £2,000 London Assurance Stock pretended to have been made with Joseph Willie in August 1720 were unwarrantable and wrongfully made by the said Court of Assistants. And that the said two sums of*

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<sup>1</sup> To save confusion all years are given as if the first month of the year is January.

*£12,017 10s & £1,531 were fraudulently charged on the Plaintiffs the Company in breach of the Duty of trust reposed in the said Court of Assistants and Treasurer.*

*And that the Defendant Gray the Executor of the said Doctor Wright & such of the Governor, Deputy Governor & Assistants as were present at the said respective Courts of Assistants and did not dissent from the orders for making such allowances ought to make satisfaction for the same to the Plaintiffs the Company. ...”*

In 1884 a meeting was held to consider registering the Corporation as a Limited Company under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883, the result of which was recorded at a meeting of 5th February 1884:

*“Resolved that the Court having well considered the effect of the votes taken at the meeting on the 22nd January, have come to the determination to place their seals at the disposal of the shareholders. And the Governor is requested to inform the shareholders of this resolution, and to give them notice of a day to be fixed for the election of a new Court.*

*The date chosen was the 4th March next.”*

A new Court was elected on the 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884, and from the point of view of management there was little change after this time. The company began to wind up its affairs and the records of General Court Meetings of the Shareholders 1901 to 1904 record the closing down and the selling of assets.

**27<sup>th</sup> January 1905. London Gazette**

*LEAD OFFICE, January 24<sup>th</sup> 1905.*

*NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, will be held at the Company's Office, 9, Martin's lane, Cannon street, London, on Tuesday, the 14<sup>th</sup> February next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, being a half-yearly General Court to receive an account of the progress made in the realization of the Company's assets. The Transfer Book will be closed from the 7<sup>th</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup> February, inclusive. By order of the Court of Assistants,  
JOHN ELLIOTT, Secretary.*

The final record found is advert in the London Gazette:

**12<sup>th</sup> May 1911. London Gazette**

*LEAD COMPANY'S OFFICE.*

*28<sup>th</sup> April 1911. NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting Down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal will be hold at the Company's office, 9, Martin's lane, Cannon street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, at 12 o'clock at noon precisely, being a final General Court to receive and confirm the accounts and to authorise the Court to deal with the cash and remaining assets, and passing such resolutions in regard thereto as may then be determined on. —By order of the Court.  
JOHN ELLIOTT, Secretary*

## MEMBERS OF THE COURT OF THE GOVERNOR AND COMPANY FOR SMELTING DOWN LEAD WITH PIT COAL AND SEA COAL

Governors	Year
Richard Owen	1692 - 1696
Samuel Davis	1705 - 1707
Urban Hall	1707 - 1730
Enoch Floyd	1730 - 1730
Charles du Bois	1731 - 1733
John Freame	1734 - 1742
Cornelius Mason	1743 - 1752
Thomas Hyam	1752 - 1763
James Mathias	1763 - 1782
Jacob Hagen	1782 - 1795
Francis Cooper	1795 - 1811
Jacob Hagen	1811 - 1817
James Palmer	1818 - 1823
Thomas How Masterman	1824 - 1824
John Hillersdon	1824 - 1839
John Masterman	1840 - 1859
Octavius Wigram	1860 - 1869
John William Birch	1869 - 1883
William Knox Wigram	1884 - 1884
Frederick Halsey Janson	1884 - 1899
William John Foskett	1900 - 1905

Source: The Court Minutes of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal.

### **Calendar Before 1752**

Prior to 1752 in England, the year began on 25 March (Lady Day), by an Act of Parliament in 1851, the beginning of the year was changed to 1<sup>st</sup> January. This meant that prior to 1<sup>st</sup> January 1852 the 1<sup>st</sup> month of the year was March, the 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, etc.

For the sake of continuity modern/post 1752 dates have been used so January 1704/5 is written as 1705.



## Richard Owen.

Richard Owen was named in the Charter of the Company as Governor. Richard Owen was sworn in as Governor on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and continued as governor until the winding up of the companies affairs in March 1696, reported as dead by 1705.

Possibly Sir Richard Owen, Merchant of London, his Will dated 20<sup>th</sup> July 1702 , Probate 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1702 mentions his dispute in Chancery with Richard Richards:

Treasury Calendar: July 1696, 21-31

31<sup>st</sup> July 1696

*Same to Mr. Blathwaite. Sir Richard Owen, merchant, has petitioned (in view of his long services to the Crown as Consul abroad and of his sufferings and losses) for a grant of a debt of 698l. 14s. 9d. owing by Richard Rickards for Customs in 1695 and 1696 [sic? for 1685 and 1686] Rickards being his near kinsman and in very mean circumstances having no other subsistence but a small employment belonging to a Copper Company. The Treasury Lords (on reference thereof from the Privy Council) have ordered a warrant for such grant, as enclosed. Please lay same before the King and if he pleases to sign it, return it for my Lords' counter-signature*

Source: <https://www.british-history.ac.uk/cal-treasury-books/vol11/pp208-224>

## Samuel Davis

The minutes of the Committee The Royal Mines Copper show that Mr Samuel Davis has been a member of the Committee from 1697 to 30<sup>th</sup> March 1702, he was not re-elected for the year 1702. It appears from the minutes that there was a dispute between the Company and Samuel Davis over Shares in the Company.

15th September 1702 *"Whereas the difference between Mr Samuel Davis & this Company about paying for the 35 virgin shares was laid before the general meeting of the 12th of May last it was left to the committee to refer it or do therein as they thought fit, and the said Committee on the 16th June last agree with Mr Davis to refer the said difference between him and this Company to Messrs Robert Ruddell & Andrew Prime. It is now this day agreed and ordered to refer the same to Messrs Ruddell & Charles Du Bois of London, Merchant. That bonds of arbitration be prepared, that Peter de Lannoy Esq the Chairman does into the same on account of the Company & that he be indemnified for his so doing, from all trouble & charges, the Penalty to be thousand pounds each, & to give the arbitration two months per the date of the said bond"*

There are various references in later minutes of the Royal Mines Copper but no resolution to the case.

The next reference appears in the LLC Court minutes of 9th May 1706, where following a dividend payment of 20s per share *"Ordered. That Mr Samuel Davis have Credit given him in his Account with this company for Fifty pounds, being for a dividend of twenty shillings per share on the fifty shares now in his name in this Company's books."*

Samuel Davis took the Oath on the 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, and was elected as governor at a meeting held 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, the minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> January 1707 indicate that he was a member of the Court of Assistants having been replaced as governor

by Urban Hall. The last reference to Samuel Davis is in the minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> January 1719/20, when he is credited £10 for shares in his name.

**Urban Hall** born 1649 married Ann Greene 6 March 1678 at All Hallows, London. In 1716 he was Prime Warden of the Fishmonger Company in 1716, & 1717, he lived in Broad Street. Urban Hall was a slave trader, in 1699 he was Sub Governor of the Royal African Company, founded in 1667, to furnish his Majesties American Plantations with Negroes at certain and moderate rates.<sup>2</sup>

Urban Hall was a member of "the Company of Copper Miners in Wales"<sup>3</sup>

Urban Hall is first mentioned in the Minute book of the Committee of The Royal Mines Copper of the 8<sup>th</sup> February 1700 as being a member of the committee. He took the Oath on the 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705 and was elected as a member of the Court of Assistants of the LLC. He took over the role of Governor from Samuel Davis in 1707, Urban Hall, Canary Merchant, died 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1730 aged about 80, at Clapham, Surrey.

## **Enoch Floyd**

Enoch Floyd, was the Clerk to the Royal Mines Copper Company until April 1704, he was a shareholder and elected to the Committee 4<sup>th</sup> April 1704. He was elected to the Court of Assistants of the LLC 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, and at the meeting of 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705 he was elected Deputy Governor and took the oath. He became Governor of the Company on 10<sup>th</sup> March 1730.

Enoch Floyd Merchant died 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1731.

*Possible baptism 26 June 1687 at All Hallows, Goldsmith St, Exeter son of Thomas Floyd*

## **Charles du Bois**

Charles du Bois was mentioned in the minutes of the Royal Mines Copper 15<sup>th</sup> September 1702, as a referee for Samuel Davis. He took the oaths and joined the Court of Assistants 14<sup>th</sup> January 1707, he was elected Governor 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731, he was last elected to the Court as Governor 4<sup>th</sup> January 1733

Charles followed his father into the Cloth & silk trade as well as being Cashier General to the East India Company he died 21<sup>st</sup> October 1740 aged 83, his Will dated 29<sup>th</sup> April 1737.

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<sup>2</sup> "Gadlys and Flintshire lead-mining in the eighteenth century" M. Bevan-Evans. Flintshire Historical Society Publications Vol. 18, (1960), p 75-130.

<sup>3</sup> <https://www.british-history.ac.uk/cal-state-papers/domestic/will-mary/1693/pp208-243>

Charles was a well, known botanist and a history of his family and work can be found in: *Bulletin of the British Museum (Natural History)* Vol. 17 No. 1, 25<sup>th</sup> May 1989. [https://archive.org/stream/bulletinofbritis17brit/bulletinofbritis17brit\\_djvu.txt](https://archive.org/stream/bulletinofbritis17brit/bulletinofbritis17brit_djvu.txt)

### **The Du Bois Family**

John Du Bois, (in the cloth & silk trade) Walloon or French Protestant, married Anne Herle (daughter of Charles Herle) 11<sup>th</sup> January 1652, at Spitalfields, London.

John Du Bois was elected to the Committee of The East India Company in 1681.

Children of Charles and Ann Du Bois:

**1. Charles** baptised 10<sup>th</sup> September 1658, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London

Ann Du Bois died before 1662.

John Du Bois, widower, married Sarah Waldo 27<sup>th</sup> July 1662, at the Chapel of the Hospital, Spitalfields.

Children of John and Sarah Du Bois:

**2. John** 1663, married Anna Sedgwick, 17<sup>th</sup> June 1690, at St Giles, Cripplegate.

John was a member of the Committee of the East India Company, in September he was appointed Cashier General of the East India Co.

Children of John and Ann Du Bois

2/1. John,

2/2. Samuel,

Edward,

2/3. Sarah baptised 19<sup>th</sup> August 1692, at St John, Hackney, married Nicholas Carey 16<sup>th</sup> February 1716. Charles baptised 21<sup>st</sup> March 1694,

2/4. William baptised 26<sup>th</sup> April 1696, will dated 19<sup>th</sup> November 1719, probate 6<sup>th</sup> February 1719/20

John Du Bois snr. will dated 19<sup>th</sup> September 1702, probate, 16<sup>th</sup> October 1702

Anne Du Bois will dated 1713, probate 27<sup>th</sup> August 1714

**3. Daniel** 1664 married Mary Coille 30<sup>th</sup> March 1690, Daniel died about September 1702 in Madras.

Children of Daniel and Mary Du Bois

**3/1. Waldo**, see under *Court of Assistants*

3/2. Sarah Charlotte died 12<sup>th</sup> April 1757, will dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1757, proved 27<sup>th</sup> April 1757.

3/3. Mary married Peter Waldo 4<sup>th</sup> August 1729 at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham.

**4. Samuel** 1665 fishmonger died at Mitcham February 1729/30 his will dated 8<sup>th</sup> October 1729, probate 4<sup>th</sup> February 1729/30

**5. Sarah** 1668, to be buried at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, spinster Will dated 21<sup>st</sup> October 1702, probate 24<sup>th</sup> July 1704

**6. Edward** 1669, married Ann

Children of Edward and Ann Du Bois:

6/1. Edward baptised 11<sup>th</sup> March 1694, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham.

6/2. Sarah baptised 6<sup>th</sup> September 1697, buried 18<sup>th</sup> September 1697, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham

6/3. Samuel baptised 29<sup>th</sup> January 1699, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham

6/4. James baptised 6<sup>th</sup> April 1701, at St Olave, City of London.

Edward Du Bois, his will dated 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1708, probate 20<sup>th</sup> May 1709.

Anna Du Bois, will dated 4<sup>th</sup> August 1710, probate 21<sup>st</sup> November 1710

7. Eliza baptised 26<sup>th</sup> August 1670, at Cripplegate, London, died 21<sup>st</sup> May 1673
8. Benjamin baptised 16<sup>th</sup> September 1674, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London
9. James baptised 25<sup>th</sup> January 1676, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London, possible burial 31<sup>st</sup> January 1676.
10. Ebenezer baptised 12<sup>th</sup> March 1680, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London, will dated 28<sup>th</sup> November 1741, codicil 12<sup>th</sup> September 1744 (because his nephew John now deceased) codicil dated 27<sup>th</sup> February 1746 (because his nephew Waldo now deceased) probate 6<sup>th</sup> May 1747.
11. Peter baptised 11<sup>th</sup> June 1684, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London

John Du Bois buried 30<sup>th</sup> October 1684, at St Mary The Virgin, Aldermanbury, London Will dated 16<sup>th</sup> July 1683, probate 5<sup>th</sup> December 1684.

Sarah Du Bois was buried 9<sup>th</sup> January 1716, at St Olave, London. Sarah Du Bois , of Mitcham, Surrey, widow of John Du Bois, Weaver of London, will dated 14<sup>th</sup> May 1709, probate 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1715/6

*Reference: "The East India House Its History And Associations" by William Foster 1924.*

## **John Freame**

John Freame had acted as banker (Freame and Gold) for the Royal Mines Copper Company.

John Freame was elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730, elected Deputy Governor 6<sup>th</sup> January 1732, and Governor 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1734, he was last elected Governor 31<sup>st</sup> December 1741 for the year 1742.

Church of England baptism 14 June 1663 (parents Thomas & Mary (nee Langley) Freame) at Avening, Gloucestershire, he married Priscilla Gould 19<sup>th</sup> October 1697, at the monthly meeting (Quaker) of Devonshire House, London.

### **Children:**

John born 30<sup>th</sup> July 1698 at Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King, London, John died 17<sup>th</sup> September 1698.

Mary born 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1700, Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King,

Priscilla born 19<sup>th</sup> April 1702, Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King,

Sarah/Sally born 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1708, Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King,

Thomas born 8<sup>th</sup> December 1712, Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King,

Joseph born 8<sup>th</sup> December 1712, Lombard Street, Parish of Edmond the King,

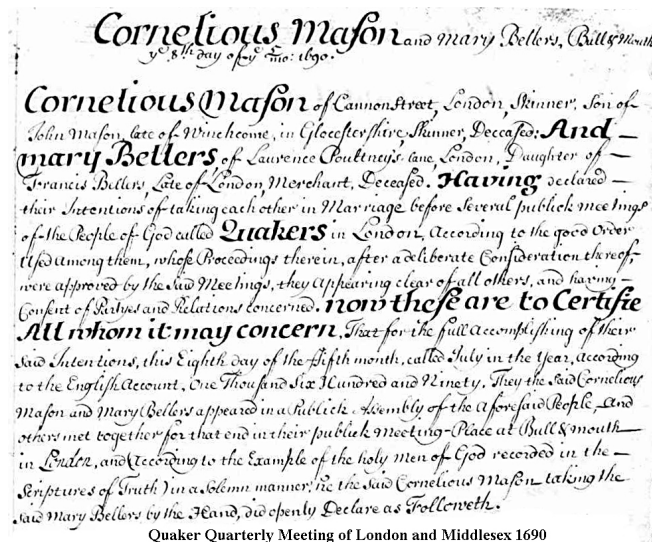
His wife Priscilla died 1<sup>st</sup> April 1727, aged 53 and John died 27<sup>th</sup> September 1745.

See the Handbook of London Bankers with Some Account of Their Predecessors, The Early Goldsmiths, By Frederick G. Hilton Price, F.S.A. pub 1890-1

## Cornelius Mason snr

Cornelius Mason senior was a member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper serving from at least January 1698 until 1704. He became a member of the LLC Court of Assistants at a meeting of 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705 he died 8<sup>th</sup> October 1705 aged 48.

Cornelius Mason senior married Mary Bellers daughter of Francis Bellers



## Quarterly Meeting of London and Middlesex: Birth, Marriage and Deaths (1646-1708):

8th July 1690 marriage of Cornelius Mason of Cannon Street, London, Skinner son of John Mason, late of Winchcombe in Gloucestershire (John also owned a 5000 acre estate in Cumberland County USA, also named Winchcomb, which he had bought of Edmund Warner in 1675, see History of the Counties of Gloucester, Salem, and Cumberland New Jersey), Skinner, deceased: And Mary Bellers of Laurence Pouttney's Lane, London, daughter of Francis Better, late of London, Merchant deceased.

### Children of Cornelius and Mary Mason:

1. John born 20th April 1691 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Swithings, London. Died aged about six years 10 months, on the 6th March 1697/8. Searchers report of Colic, and was buried in Cheqrs Alley
2. Francis son of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 30th day of October 1692 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Sweethings, London. Francis aged about nine months died 4th August 1693, of the Tooth. As the Common Searchers reported and was buried in Cheqrs Alley.
3. Mary daughter of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 6th day of October 1693 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Sweethings, London
4. **Cornelius** son of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife was born on the 4th day of the tenth month in the year one thousand six hundred and ninety four in Cannon Street, London, in the parish of Sweething.
5. Jonathan son of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 29th day of March 1696 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Sweethings, London.
6. Francis son of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 34th day of June 1697 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Sweethings, London.

7. Elizabeth daughter of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 9th day of August 1698 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Sweethings, London

8. Lydia daughter of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 3rd day of March 1699 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Swithings, London

9. John Mason, son of Cornelius Mason, Skinner and Mary his wife, was born the 11th day of December 1703 in Cannon Street, in the parish of Swithins, London.

Died 26th July 1704. Searchers report Convulsion fits.

10 Joseph born 2nd Aug 1705, died 19th August 1706: Joseph Mason son of Cornelius Mason deceased and Mary his widow of the parish of Swithings, London, aged about 12 months died 19th August 1706. Searchers report of Gripes and inward convulsions.

3. Mary Mason daughter of Cornelius Mason, late of Cannon Street, Skinner, deceased married John Mucklow citizen and Grocer of London on 4th October 1716, at Bull & Mouth. Relatives at the wedding Cornelius Mason, Jonathan Mason, Francis Mason, Elizabeth Mason, Lydia Mason.

Cornelius Mason senior died 8<sup>th</sup> October 1705 aged about 48 years

Mary Mason senior died 26<sup>th</sup> October 1715, aged about 52.

**4. Cornelius Mason jnr.** (born 4<sup>th</sup> December 1694) junior joined the Company 21<sup>st</sup> January 1718 when he took the oath,. He was elected to be on the committee of enquiry into the behaviour of the previous Court's behaviour January 1731. He joined the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1732. He became Deputy Governor 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1734 and Governor 6<sup>th</sup> January 1743.

Cornelius Mason jnr., merchant dealing in hides, pelts

The Gentleman's Magazine, Volume 22, states that Cornelius Mason Esq., late Governor of the lead mines, very rich, died 28<sup>th</sup> April 1752, his will indicates he had properties in the city of Philadelphia, and 5000 acres of land in West Jersey (Province of New Jersey, America). His will does not mention a wife or any children, and no marriage has been found.

**The Winchcomb Estate USA**, information from:

<http://www.mocavo.com/History-of-the-Counties-of-Gloucester-Salem-and-Cumberland-New-Jersey-With-Biographical-Sketches-of-Their-Prominent-Citizens/732585/659>

"At John Mason's death the estate descended to his oldest son and heir-at-law, Cornelius Mason. He had the five thousand acres located and surveyed May 30, 1689, and gave it the name of Winchcomb Manor.

"Cornelius Mason seems to have been ambitious to establish a manor, and retained the title to the whole tract, or if he sold any he reserved quit-rents. At his death it descended to his son, Cornelius Mason, Jr., of London, a merchant dealing in hides, pelts, etc., who willed it to his cousin and heir-at-law, Joseph Mason, of Newington Butts, in the county of Surrey, and others; and they by deed dated Nov. 24, 1762, sold the same to Israel Pemberton, a prominent member of the Society of Friends in Philadelphia."

## Thomas Hyam

Thomas Hyam signed the Declaration and joined the Company 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1705, and elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1737. He was elected Deputy Governor 6<sup>th</sup> January 1743, and Governor 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1752, he served until his death in 1763

Thomas Hyam was the son of George and Patience Hyam born 13<sup>th</sup> December 1681.

George and Patience Hyam had at least 4 other children, a still born child buried 6<sup>th</sup> July 1692, Ann born ? married William Holland 26<sup>th</sup> May 1692, Joshua born 14<sup>th</sup> October 1676, and Joseph born 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1673.

Patience Hyam died aged about 60 years, 21<sup>st</sup> October 1711; Searchers reported a fever, buried at Longlane in Southwark, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1711.

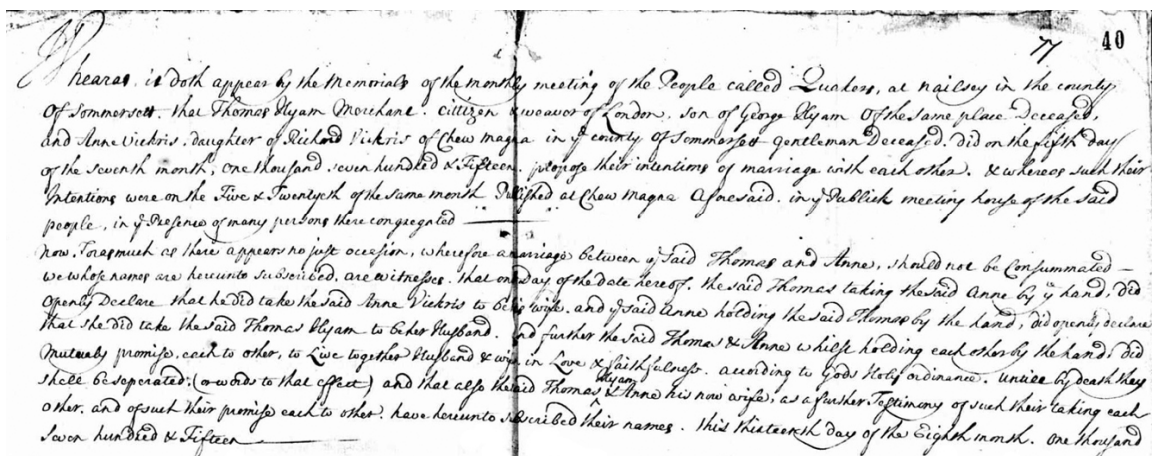
George Hyam died aged 63 years 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1712, at Southwark, Searchers reported a fever, buried at Longlane in Southwark

Thomas Hyam of London, Merchant son of George Hyam of the same place, citizen and weaver married Mary the only daughter of Michael Russell married at the quarterly meeting of London & Middlesex 14<sup>th</sup> November 1704.

Children of Thomas & Mary Hyam:

1. Thomas born 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 1710 died 11<sup>th</sup> January 1710.

Mary Hyam wife of Thomas Hyam, merchant of the Parish of St Peters Cornhill, London aged about 26 years died 29<sup>th</sup> September 1713, at Tottenham in the County of Middlesex of a Consumption and was buried near Bunhill Fields 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1713.



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Whereas it doth appear by the Minutes of the monthly meeting of the People called Quakers, at Nailsea in the County of Somerset, that Thomas Hyam Merchant, citizen weaver of London, son of George Hyam of the same place deceased, and Anne Vickris daughter of Richard Vickris of Chew Magna in the County of Somerset gentleman deceased, did on the fifth day of the seventh month, One thousand seven hundred & fifteen, signify their intentions of marriage with each other, & whereas such their intentions were on the five & twentieth of the same month, published at Chew Magna aforesaid, in a public meeting house of the said people, in presence of many persons then congregated there, &asmuch as there appears no just objection, wherefore a marriage between of said Thomas and Anne, should not be consummated - we whose names are hereunto subscribed, are witnesses, that on day of the date hereof, the said Thomas taking the said Anne by her hand, did openly declare that he did take the said Anne Vickris to be his wife, and of said Anne holding the said Thomas by the hand, did openly declare that she did take the said Thomas Hyam to be her husband. And further the said Thomas & Anne whilst holding each other by the hand, did mutually promise each to other, to live together husband & wife in love & faithfulness, according to Gods Holy ordinance, unless by death they should be separated: (words to that effect) and that after the said Thomas & Anne his new wife, as a further testimony of such their taking each other, and of such their promise each to other, have hereunto subscribed their names. This thirteenth day of the eighth month. One thousand seven hundred & fifteen

Quaker Monthly Meeting of North Division of Somerset: Burrington 1715

## 2nd Marriage

Thomas Hyam, merchant, citizen weaver of London son of George Hyam of the same place deceased married Ann Vickris daughter of Richard Vickris of Chew Magna in the county of Somerset gentleman on 13<sup>th</sup> August 1715, at Nailsea, Bristol.

## Children of Thomas & Ann Hyam:

Thomas died 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1718 aged 15 days.

Thomas Vickris born 15<sup>th</sup> May 1721, married Ruth Rawlinson 30<sup>th</sup> July 1745, at the Monthly Meeting of Swarthmore, Lancashire.

Richard born 29<sup>th</sup> May 1723, died 10<sup>th</sup> August 1729, aged 6 years.  
George born 28<sup>th</sup> February 1724, married Mary Hodgson 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1747  
Michael born 13<sup>th</sup> June 1726, died 28<sup>th</sup> December 1727 aged about 17 months  
Anne born 4<sup>th</sup> June 1728, married Leonard Edlington, Merchant, 4<sup>th</sup> May 1762  
Eliza Maria born 29<sup>th</sup> January 1729, married Richard Camps, Mercer (*cloth merchant*), 29<sup>th</sup> September 1762

Anne Hyam wife of Thomas Hyam of the Parish of St Botolph Without Bishopgate died 30<sup>th</sup> March 1750. Searchers report of Convulsions, was buried on the 5<sup>th</sup> April near Bunhill Fields aged 62 years and 2 months.

***The Gentlemans Magazine Vol 33***, reported Thomas Hyam's death and gives the following:

*"Mr Thomas Hyam, late Merchant of this city aged 84: He was Governor of the Lead Mine Company, and procured an act of parliament to enable trustees to sell the lands of the Pennsylvania Land Company, and with indefatigable pains and application brought the affairs of that company, which had long lain in the utmost confusion into order for which he deserved and received the prayers of many widows and orphans, who were deeply interested in them. These lands have been since sold and the money divided amongst the proprietors, who have proved their shares and the value of the shares that are unclaimed is applied to the support of a public work."*

Thomas died 17<sup>th</sup> May 1763, aged about 81, buried at Bunhill Fields, Devonshire.

## **James Mathias**

James Mathias, of Freemans Yard, Cornhill, London, merchant, was first listed as a member of the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753, he was elected Deputy Governor 27<sup>th</sup> September 1758, and elected Governor 9<sup>th</sup> June 1763 he served until his death in 1782.

James (Jacque) Mathias son of Jacques Mathias and Elizabeth Marie Greck (married at the French Chapel, Savoy, The Strand, London, 8<sup>th</sup> Sept 1688) baptised 24<sup>th</sup> May 1710.

James Mathias was the secretary of the Equivalent Company (later to become The Royal Bank of Scotland)

James Mathias died 10<sup>th</sup> June 1782, and was buried 17<sup>th</sup> June 1782, at St Peter Le Poer, City of London.

## **Hagen Family**

### **Jacob Hagen snr**

Jacob Hagen joined the Company 14<sup>th</sup> July 1730, and he was a member of the Court of Assistants from January 1734, it is unclear at what point Jacob junior(1/1) took over from his father but (I suspect it was 1750, as at this point Jacob Hagen Esq is the name given) there was a Jacob Hagen at the Court continuously through to the point when "Jacob Hagen jnr." was appointed as Deputy Governor 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1763.



1. Jacob Hagen (born about 1685 in the Netherlands,) married Anna Warner, daughter of Simeon Warner, merchant, 16<sup>th</sup> September 1714, at the Monthly Meeting of Southwark.

Children of Jacob and Ann Hagen:

**1/1. Jacob** born 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1715

1/2. Anna born 9<sup>th</sup> March 1717, married John Allis 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1745

1/3. Elizabeth born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1719, died 20<sup>th</sup> May 1722

1/4. Simeon born 30<sup>th</sup> October 1722, married Ann Ollive 27<sup>th</sup> April 1748, Ann Bell 4<sup>th</sup> March 1756

1/5. Peter born 24<sup>th</sup> April 1725, died 19<sup>th</sup> October 1727.

1/6. Elizabeth born 4<sup>th</sup> April 1727, married John Stammers 21<sup>st</sup> May 1750

1/7. Martha born 20<sup>th</sup> February 1729, died 26<sup>th</sup> January 1733

1/8. John born 6<sup>th</sup> November 1731, died 1<sup>st</sup> February 1732

1/9. Mehetable born 26<sup>th</sup> January 1732, died 16<sup>th</sup> February 1737

1/10. Henry born 8<sup>th</sup> January 1735

1/11. Mercy born 8<sup>th</sup> January 1735, died 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1738

1/12. Warner born 6<sup>th</sup> September 1737

Jacob Hagen snr died 31<sup>st</sup> July 1758, aged 73.

Anna his wife had died 27<sup>th</sup> March 1757 aged 62.

### **1/1. Jacob Hagen jn.**

Probable first election to the Court of Assistants 1751. At a meeting held 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1763 Jacob Hagen was unanimously elected Deputy Governor, and on the 4<sup>th</sup> July 1782 he was elected Governor, he served until his death in 1795.

Jacob Hagen a Stave merchant, married Elizabeth Hagger (born 16<sup>th</sup> March 1720), daughter of Stephen Hagger (school master) and Mary, on 18<sup>th</sup> November 1744 at the Friends meeting house, Southwark.

Children of Jacob and Elizabeth Hagen.

**1/1/1. Jacob** born 18<sup>th</sup> July 1746,

1/1/2. Anna born 29<sup>th</sup> February 1747, died 1<sup>st</sup> January 1773, aged 25 (consumption)

1/1/3. Isaac born 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1748

1/1/4. Elizabeth born 12<sup>th</sup> December 1750, married Thomas Gopsill 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1744

1/1/5. Mary born 26<sup>th</sup> October 1752 died 4<sup>th</sup> May 1757, aged 4 years (smallpox).

1/1/6. Peter Warner born 15<sup>th</sup> July 1755, died 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1827, aged 72.

1/1/7. Martha born 16<sup>th</sup> December 1756, died 20<sup>th</sup> October 1757

Jacob Hagen of Charlotte Row, Walworth, Surrey, died 13<sup>th</sup> April 1795, and was buried 19<sup>th</sup> April 1795 at the Friends burial ground at Long Lane Southwark.

Elizabeth Hagen died 21<sup>st</sup> April 1795 at age 75, buried 26<sup>th</sup> April 1795 at the Friends burial ground at Long Lane Southwark.

**1/1/1. Jacob Hagen** was first elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1783, at a meeting of 17<sup>th</sup> May 1810, he was elected Deputy Governor. On the 12<sup>th</sup> September 1811 Jacob was elected as Governor. The minutes of the Court of 26<sup>th</sup> December 1817 record:

Resolved unanimously that the thanks of this Court be presented to Mr Hagen, Governor, for his long service and uniform attention to the interests of this Company

and that this Court in their sincere regret on his retirement wish him many years of health & happiness.

Jacob Hagen, Stave Merchant married Margaret Neale daughter of Edward Neale on 10<sup>th</sup> August 1769.

Children of Jacob and Margaret Hagen:

Margaret born 7<sup>th</sup> July 1770 died 15<sup>th</sup> July 1770

Ann born abt 1773 married Edward Upcher Brockway 21<sup>st</sup> June 1796

Jacob born 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1776, married Mary Fell (father John Fell) 24<sup>th</sup> April 1807, he died 12<sup>th</sup> April 1843, aged 67.

Margaret born 29<sup>th</sup> November 1780, died 17<sup>th</sup> January 1782, aged 1 year 2 months (smallpox).

Margaret born 11<sup>th</sup> November 1789, married Samuel White Driver, land surveyor 7<sup>th</sup> September 1809

Isaac Hagger born 16<sup>th</sup> April 1783, died 10<sup>th</sup> July 1803, aged 20 years.

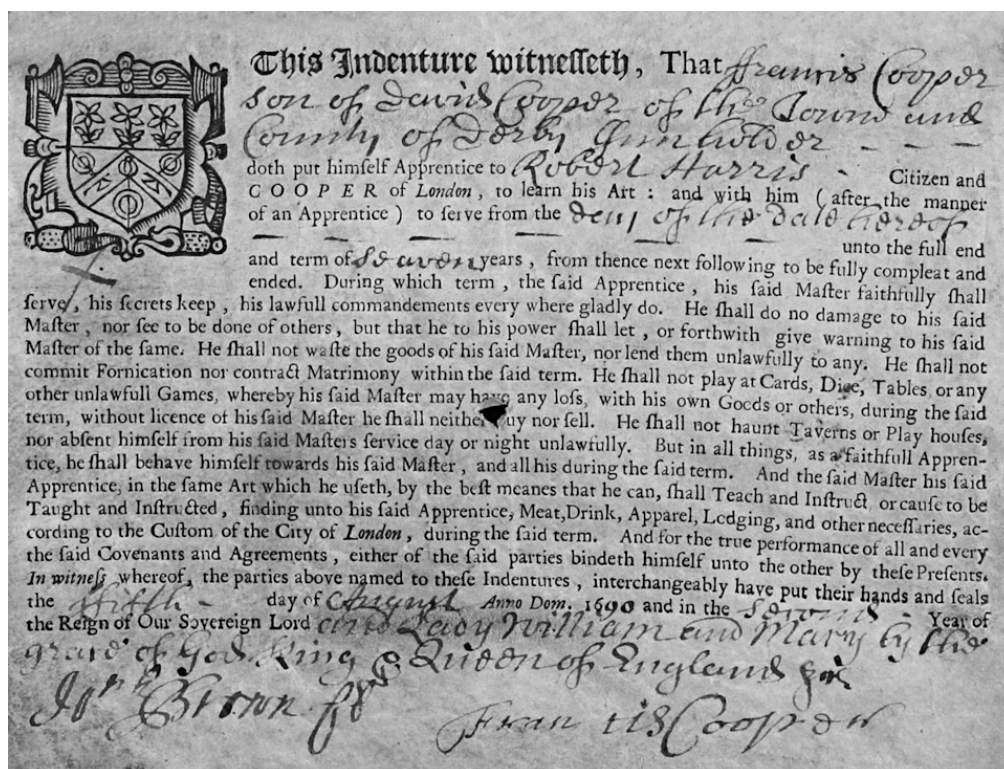
1/1/1. Jacob Hagen died 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1818 aged 72 years, buried 10<sup>th</sup> May 1818 at the Friends burial ground at Long Lane Bermondsey, his wife Margaret died 25<sup>th</sup> October 1830 aged 79 years she was also buried at Long Lane Bermondsey 31<sup>st</sup> October 1830.

## Cooper Family

### Francis Cooper

Francis Cooper baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1673, at Derby son of David Cooper & Elizabeth Cooper. He was apprenticed to Robert Harris a cooper.

Francis Cooper, married Mary Harris (born 30<sup>th</sup> July 1685, parents Robert and Margery Harris) 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1707 at All Hallows, London.



Children of Francis and Mary Cooper:

- 1. Francis** 1708 Apprenticed to George Hogg, distiller in 1726.
2. Mary born? married 25<sup>th</sup> May 1731, at All Hallows, City of London, buried 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1743, at Longhope, Gloucestershire.
3. Elizabeth born? married William Grove 12<sup>th</sup> November 1731 at All Hallows, City of London
- 4. Robert** baptised 14<sup>th</sup> September 1711 St Antholin Budge Row, City of London died 1785, apprenticed as a Cooper 6<sup>th</sup> December 1726.
5. Ann baptised 8<sup>th</sup> December 1712 St Antholin Budge Row, City of London, married Thomas Frost
6. Joyce baptised 7<sup>th</sup> January 1715 St Antholin Budge Row, City of London, buried 15<sup>th</sup> May 1715
7. David baptised 28<sup>th</sup> September 1716 at St John, Hackney
8. Philip baptised 8<sup>th</sup> June 1717

Francis Cooper senior, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1747, at St Swithins, City of London  
Mary Cooper buried 19<sup>th</sup> June 1766, at St Swithins, City of London

## **1. Francis Cooper**

Francis Cooper took the Oaths and was admitted as a member of the Company 20<sup>th</sup> May 1731. He was first elected to the Court of Assistants January 1750 he was last elected to the Court January 1759

Francis Cooper died 26<sup>th</sup> February 1759, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London  
He had shares in the Brewery Trade (Trueman Brewery) and Shares in the Lead Company

Francis Cooper married Mary Browne (marriage Bond 19<sup>th</sup> September 1744)

Children of Francis and Mary Cooper

- 1/1. Francis baptised 20<sup>th</sup> June 1745, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London
- 1/2. Mary baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1746, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London
- 1/3. Ann baptised 29<sup>th</sup> November 1747, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London
- 1/4. Robert born 24<sup>th</sup> May 1749, baptised 27<sup>th</sup> May 1749 at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London, married Elizabeth Hall 17<sup>th</sup> December 1778 at St James, Westminster.
- 1/5. Elizabeth baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1750, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, London, she married Richard Chadwick 20<sup>th</sup> April 1778

Francis Cooper died buried in his Vault at Christ Church, Spitalfields, Church Yard , will dated 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1759, Probate 6<sup>th</sup> March 1759.

Mary Cooper his wife remarried to Wm South, she was buried 28<sup>th</sup> February 1784, at Christ Church, Spitalfields.

## **4. Robert Cooper,**

Robert Cooper was first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1759, his last election to the Court was January 1770.

Robert Cooper a Wine Cooper, married Mary Hennell (born 20<sup>th</sup> September 1710) 16<sup>th</sup> December 1735, daughter of David and Sarah Hennell, (David Hennell of Leicester)

Children of Robert and Mary Cooper:

**4/1.** Robert Harris baptised 7<sup>th</sup> July 1734 at St James, Westminster, London.

4/2. Ann born 12<sup>th</sup> September 1736, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> September 1736, at St Swithin, London

**4/3. Francis** born 21<sup>st</sup> September 1748, baptised 6<sup>th</sup> October 1748, at All Hallows, Barking By the Tower, City of London

Mary Cooper buried 16<sup>th</sup> October 1769, at St Swithins, London.

Robert Cooper buried 20<sup>th</sup> July 1785, at St Swithins, London.

#### **4/1. Robert Harris Cooper**

Robert Harris Cooper first elected to the Court of Assistants January 1773, and served until 1777, he re-joined the Court in 1779 until 1784, then again 1785 to 1791.

In 1776 his occupation given as a Wine Merchant

Robert Harris Cooper married Mary Lambe 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 1769 to St Peter, Essex.

Robert H. and Mary Cooper did not have any children.

Mary Cooper died 6<sup>th</sup> September 1786

Children of Robert H. and Esther Dench (unmarried at the time of Richard Harris Coopers death, in his will he refers to her as his dearly beloved intended wife):

1. Sarah baptised 19<sup>th</sup> April 1787, Chelmsford Essex
2. Mary born about 1790
3. Elizabeth born 25<sup>th</sup> July 1787, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> August 1787
4. John baptised 12<sup>th</sup> August 1790
5. Robert Harris baptised 12<sup>th</sup> August 1790
6. Ann baptised 27<sup>th</sup> December 1791

Another child mentioned in his will: Harriet Shakeshaft her proper name also called Harriet Cooper.

Robert Harris Cooper was buried 26<sup>th</sup> April 1792 at St Dunston, Hunsdon, Hertfordshire, in his will refers to himself as a London Merchant and Farmer.

Esther Dench was buried 30<sup>th</sup> January 1816, at St Andrew, Holborn, London, aged 75.

#### **4/3. Mr. Francis Cooper jnr**

Francis Cooper first joined the Court of Assistants January 1781, serving as an assistant (with the exception of 1786) until his election to Deputy Governor 12<sup>th</sup> July 1792, he was elected Governor 7<sup>th</sup> May 1795 and served until his death in 1811.

Francis Cooper wine-merchant of Crooked-lane; married Lucy Yates (daughter of Joseph & Margaret Yates), of Stoke-Newington, 29<sup>th</sup> October 1776, at St, Martin's Outwich, Bishopsgate-street.

Children of Francis & Lucy Cooper:

1. Joseph Yates born 19<sup>th</sup> April 1778, married Susan Pollard 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1809 at St Andrew, Holborn. Children Francis Yates born 19<sup>th</sup> October 1810, christened 19<sup>th</sup> February 1811, Lucy Mary christened 12<sup>th</sup> May 1813. Joseph Yates Cooper was a wine merchant & Insurance broker, he was declared bankrupt 7<sup>th</sup> February 1815, he died 13<sup>th</sup> February 1833 after a "short but severe illness".

2. Margaret born about 1780 married William Rhodes 28<sup>th</sup> August 1802. Their daughter Emily Lucy married John Masterman, banker 13<sup>th</sup> January 1836, at St Mary the Virgin, Layton, Essex.
  3. Lucy born about 1786, Lucy Cooper of Clapton Square, died 5<sup>th</sup> April 1845, aged 64 years.
  4. Maria born about 1788, married Philip Barrett Cooper 6<sup>th</sup> July 1824, at St John, Hackney. Maria Cooper, widow, died 27<sup>th</sup> November 1868, at Remenham, Berkshire.
  5. Francis born about 1789, married Ann Austin 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1812, at St John, Hackney. Francis Cooper, retired wine merchant, died 7<sup>th</sup> July 1873, at Hastings, Sussex, aged 84.
  6. Elizabeth born about 1791, married John Charington (a widower), 9<sup>th</sup> May 1817, at St John, Hackney, died 10<sup>th</sup> March 1862 at Upper Clapton, aged 73.
- Francis Cooper of Clapton, Middlesex, was buried 26<sup>th</sup> August 1811 aged 63. His wife Lucy was died 26<sup>th</sup> February 1831, aged 79.

## **James Palmer**

James Palmer was elected to the Court of Assistants, 29<sup>th</sup> December 1786, and elected Deputy Governor 26<sup>th</sup> September 1811. On 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817 he was elected Governor to serve for the year 1818. The Court minutes of 29<sup>th</sup> December 1823 record receiving the following letter from James Palmer.

To The Court of Proprietors of the Lead Company

*Gentlemen*

*The infirm state of my health preventing me from fulfilling in an adequate manner the duties of my situation as Governor of your honourable Court, a due regard to your interests compels me to retire this day from that important office.*

*The deep regret which I feel at the cessation of a connection which I have been always proud to acknowledge is greatly mitigated by the recollection of the confidence with which you have been pleased to honour me during a long period of my life, and by the remembrance of the many testimonies of regard and friendship which I have received from those proprietors with whom I have acted as member of the Court of Assistants for so many years.*

*I have the honour to remain*

*Gentlemen*

*Your faithful & obligated servant*

*James Palmer*

*Christs Hospital*

*29th Dec 1823.*

James Palmer aged 23, married Ann Hussell, 11<sup>th</sup> May 1763 at St Mary le bone, Westminster.

## **Children of James and Ann Palmer.**

Philadelphia baptised 17<sup>th</sup> March 1765, at St Peter Cornhill, London

Anna Maria baptised 13<sup>th</sup> July 1766, at St Peter Cornhill, London

Hannah Smith baptised 24<sup>th</sup> January 1768, at St Peter Cornhill, London, buried 15<sup>th</sup> June 1833, aged 65, at Berkshire  
Elizabeth baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1769, at St Peter Cornhill, London, possible burial 18<sup>th</sup> May 1817, buried at St Martin in The Fields, London, not mentioned in her fathers will of 1825.



Credit: Christ's Hospital Foundation  
James Palmer, Treasurer of Christ's Hospital (1798-1824)

James Palmer born 1740, was the Treasurer of Christ's Hospital, for 26 years, he retired from his post in 1824 just before his death on Tuesday, 25th January 1825, aged 85. His wife Ann was not mentioned in his will so presumably died before the will was written.

### **Thomas How Masterman**

1. Christopher Masterman (died 1744 at Bridewell Precinct, London, probate 18th January 1745), married Ann Jackson (died April 1751)  
Bridewell Royal Hospital Minutes of 21st August 1735, give his occupation as Woodmonger: -

*This Comittee have taken into Consideration the Petition of Mrs. Mary Armitt Widow and Administratrix of Theophilus Armitt deceased settingforth That the said Theophilus Armitt in the year 1722 holding by Lease from this Hospital the Ground and Tenements next adjoining on the East and North sides to the yard in Bridewell Precinct did then apply to the Governors for*

*licence to let part of the Ground to the New River Water Company, which was granted him accordingly That her said Husband being lately dead Christopher Masterman a Woodmonger is desirous to take a house a whereof part of the said premes and praying that the Governors would grant her Licence to let the same to the said Christopher Masterman for the residue of her Term therein The Comittee are of Opinion to Licence be granted to the said Mr. Armit to lett or assign her Term in the premes to the said Mr Christopher Masterman as she shall think fitt All which nevertheless is Submitted to the Judgment of the Court And it is Ordered that this Opinion be reported to the next Court This Court doth confirm the said Report and Order that Licence be given to the said Mrs. Armit accordingly.*

### **Children of Christopher and Ann Masterman.**

- 1/1. Robert born 26 November 1711
  - 1/2. Mary born 3rd January 1714
  - 1/3. Thomas born 26th December 1715
  - 1/4.** Christopher born 17th August 1720, died 1770
  - 1/5.** John born 16th May 1718 died 1786
  - 1/6. Ann born 15th June 1723
- All born at Guisborough, Yorkshire

**1/4** Christopher Masterman married Elizabeth Peacock in 1757

Children of Christopher and Elizabeth Masterman

1/4/a. Christopher born 9th November 1757

**1/4/b.** William born 25th Dec 1758

1/4c. Ann born 17 July 1764

1/4d. Jane born 20 Oct 1761

All born at Bridewell Precinct, London

Bridewell Royal Hospital Minutes of 18th October 1749 give his occupation as Coal Merchant: —

*Upon Reading the Humble Petition of Mary Armit widow Relict & Adminstratrix of Theophilus Armit deceased and Christopher Masterman and Thomas Peacock of Bridewell Precinct London Cole merchant Setting forth That by Indre of Lease dated 20th. Septr. 1725 The Governors of Bridewell Hospital demised to the said Theophilus Armit Several Peices or Parcells of Ground lying in the Precinct of the said Hospital for 56 years from Middsr. then last at £30 P Ann rent for the two first years and £60 P ann for the Remr. of the Term which Lease will Expire at Midsr. 1731. That the Petitioner Mary Armit as Administratrix to her said late husband is become intitlled to the said Pmes for the residue of the Term yet to come in the said Lease And is desirous of making an Under lease of the sd. Pmes to the Petitioners Masterman & Peacock And praying the Governors that the Petitioner Mary Armit may have Lycome to demise the said pmes to the Petitioners Masterman & Peacock for So much of the Remr. of the said Term of 56 years as they shall agree upon It is Ordered That the said Petition be referred to the Comittee of this House to Consider thereof & to report their Opinion thereon to the Court.*

It was approved (Thomas Peacock was the brother of Elizabeth)

Christopher died 1770 aged about 49 years, probate of his will 13th April 1770.  
Elizabeth died 1769 aged about 44 years.

### **1/5. John Masterman**

John Masterman was first elected to the Court of Assistants 28 Dec 1766, he was last elected to the Court December 1785, for the year 1786.

**John Masterman** of London, father Christopher mother Anne Masterman, married Maria Archer of St Alban's at South Mimms Hertfordshire, 15th October 1754.

Children of John and Maria Masterman:

1/5/a. Thomas born 10th October 1755 died 18th November 1755

1/5/b. Sarah born 13th March 1757 died 15th April 1757

1/5/c. Sarah born 18th July 1758 died 28th January 1759.

1/5/d. James born 8th Aug 1759, married Margaret Harris in 1782.

**1/5/e. Thomas How** born 5th November 1760.

Maria Masterman died 27<sup>th</sup> February 1776 aged 42

John Masterman died 10th March 1786, and was buried at St Albans (Quaker Burial Ground) 19th March 1786, aged 65.

15th & 16th September 1760 Title Deed Teeside Archive (U.PEN/1/39,40)

*Lease and Release from John Masterman of White Hart Court, Grace Church Street, London, goldsmith, and Maria his wife to William Masterman of Grey's Inn, County Middlesex, Gent., of one half share of the premises as in U.PEN/1/28, U.PEN/1/29 above, to the use of Christopher Masterman of Bridewell Precinct, London, coal merchant, subject to an annuity payable to Susannah Martin and to the sum of £ 120 to follow her disposition and appointment.*

*Consideration of £ 500 paid by Christopher Masterman.*

### **1/5/e. Thomas How Masterman**

Thomas How Masterman was first elected to the Court of Assistance in January 1790, he was elected Deputy Governor 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817 for the year 1818, and he was elected Governor 29<sup>th</sup> December 1823 for the year 1824

The Court of Assistants minutes record that on the 8th January 1801 "a letter was read from Nathaniel Springall acquainting the Court that he had resigned his business to his son Thomas How Masterman to whom he requests a continuance of the Courts favours.

A letter was also read from T. H. Masterman soliciting a continuation of the Courts favours. Upon a motion being made & seconded that the Silver be sent to T. H. Masterman as formerly. It was carried unanimously."

Thomas How Masterman was a Goldsmith, he also had an interest in a Malt Distillers at Wandsworth the London Gazette shows the partnership was dissolved 29 June 1793.



Thomas How Masterman married Richenda Springall (parents, Nathaniel Springall & Richenda Barclay) in 1784.

They do not appear to have had any living children at the time of Thomas's death in 1824.

Thomas How Masterman died 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1824 and was buried at the Quaker burial Ground at St Albans 9th May 1824.

The 1841 census gives Richenda Masterman, aged 82, living at Elm Cottage, Keston, Kent.

Richenda Masterman died 1844, the obituaries in Jacksons Oxford Journal of 13th January 1844 state "At Walthamstow, in her 86th year Richenda, Relict of Thomas How Masterman, Esq. of Keston, Kent." The probate of her will being 24th January 1844. Her parents were Nathaniel Springall (died January 1803 aged 71) and Richenda Barclay (daughter of David Barclay and Priscilla Freame, Richenda Springall died 7th January 1800).

*Between 5th January 1786 and 8th June 1786 Thomas How Masterman paid £3747 3s 11d for silver, no other details were given, based on 5/2 oz this would be 14505 oz 6 pw of silver.*

The 1794 Directory of London & Westminster & Borough of Southwark gives:—  
Masterman & Springall, Goldsmiths & Jewellers, 1, White Hart-court, Gracechurch-str.

London, May 31 1800.

**N**otice is hereby given, that the Partnership between Thomas How Masterman and Nathaniel Springall, of White-Hart-Court, Lombard-Street; London; Goldsmiths, was this Day dissolved by mutual Consent: and the Business will be henceforth carried on by the said Nathaniel Springall on his own Account:

*Thos. How Masterman.  
Nathaniel Springall.*

London Gazette 13th May 1800

**1/4/b. William Masterman** (born about 1758, died 13th August 1845 aged 87, at Leyton, Essex) and Lydia Mildred, (daughter of Daniel & Lydia Mildred, died 1819)  
Children

**1/4/b/1. John Born** 1781 Leyton, Essex Died 1862

1/4/b./2. Lydia Born 13th July 1782

1/4/b/3. Daniel Birth 1784

1/4/b/4. Elizabeth Born 1785 Died 1806

1/4/b/5. William Born 1787 Died 1787

1/4/b/6. Sarah Born 1788 Died 1789 (Age 12 months)

1/4/b/7. Jane Birth 24 March 1790 Middlesex

1/4/b/8. Charlotte Born 1792

1/4/b/9. Thomas Born 9 January 1794 London

Lydia Masterman died 14<sup>th</sup> September 1819, aged about 60, at Leyton, Essex.  
William Masterman died 13th August 1845 aged 87, at Leyton, Essex.

The Hull Packet 19th September 1845

*The Late William Masterman Esq.: —*

*This wealthy and eminent city banker has died, leaving funded and personal property, independent of his real estates, to the amount of nearly £160,000. By his will, which he had made some years before his death, he has bequeathed to each of his six children a legacy of £15,000; and a legacy to his sister, Mrs. Oxley, and his nephew Henry Oxley. His library, with all the books and contents, he has left to his eldest son, John Masterman, Esq., the member for the city, to whom he has devised the estate at Leyton, where he resided, as well as all other his real estates, freehold or copyhold. The residue of his personal estate he leaves to his two sons, John and Thomas, whom he has appointed executors of the will.*

## John Hillersdon

Edward Hillersdon married Louisa Sophia Charlotte Harcourt on 23rd July 1741 at Aldbury, Hertford.

Children of Edward and Louisa Hillersdon:

1. Louisa born 22nd April 1742, married Silvanus Grove (Widower, son of Silvanus & Elizabeth born 22nd November 1711, buried 30<sup>th</sup> December 1799, See *Joseph Grove*) 8<sup>th</sup> March 1766, at Saint Martin Orgar And Saint Clement, Eastcheap, London.

Children of Silvanus and Louisa Grove:

1/1. Silvanus baptised 4<sup>th</sup> February 1767, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1784, aged 17.

1/2. Louisa baptised 16<sup>th</sup> March 1768

1/3. Caroline baptised 21<sup>st</sup> February 1769

1/4. Charles baptised 21<sup>st</sup> April 1770

**1/5. John baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1771**

1/6. Harriet baptised 12<sup>th</sup> March 1774

1/7. Joseph baptised 12<sup>th</sup> March 1775

1/8. Amelia baptised 29<sup>th</sup> February 1776,

1/9. Henry baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1779

All baptised at St Clement Eastcheap with St Martin Orgar, London

2. Edward Harcourt born 15th February 1743

3. Sophia born 14th March 1744

4. William Bard born 11th March 1745

5. Charlotte Ann born 5th June 1746

6. **John\*** born 16th July 1747 died 1807

All baptised at St Clement Eastcheap with St Martin Orgar, London

## London Gazette 21<sup>st</sup> July 1807

*Whitehall, July 14, 1807.*

*The King has been pleased to grant unto John Grove, of Whaddon, in the County of Surrey, Esq; eldest surviving Son and Heir of Silvanus Grove, late of Woodford, in the County of Essex, Esq; deceased, by Louisa his wife, Daughter of Edward Hillersdon, late of Sewardstone, in the said County of Essex, Esq; also deceased, and sole surviving Sister and Heir of **John Hillersdon\***, also of Sewardstone aforesaid, Esq;*

*deceased, His Royal Licence and Authority, that he and his Issue may take and use the Surname of Hillersdon only, and also bear the Arms of Hillersdon, in compliance with the last Will and Testament of his said maternal Uncle John Hillersdon, Esq; such Arms bring first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise His Majesty's said Licence and Permission to be void and of none Effect:*

*And also to order, that this His Majesty's Concession and Declaration be registered to His College of Arms. Whitehall, July 3.*

## **John Hillersdon**

John Hillersdon was elected to the Court of Assistants 28<sup>th</sup> December 1807, and elected Deputy Governor 29<sup>th</sup> December 1823.

He was elected Governor 26<sup>th</sup> May 1824 Thomas How Masterman having died.

John Hillersdon was last Elected Governor of the Lead Company 31<sup>st</sup> December 1838.

In 1834 John Hillersdon was the Deputy Governor of the Corporation of the London Assurance of Houses and Goods from Fire

**1/5. John Hillersdon** married Maria Reade (youngest daughter of William Reade) 19<sup>th</sup> February 1808, at St Giles Camberwell.

Children of John and Maria Hillersdon:

1/5/1. John Grove Hillersdon (Born 26 Dec 1808, Christened St John The Baptist, Croydon 28 Jan 1809)

1/5/2. Maria Reade Hillersdon (Christened St John The Baptist, Croydon 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1810) married James William Wilson Esq. M.D. of Brighton on 24<sup>th</sup> May 1856.

1/5/3. Elizabeth Anne Hillersdon (Born 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1811 – Christened St John The Baptist, Croydon 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1811)

1/5/4. Louisa Sophia Hillersdon (Christened St John The Baptist, Croydon 15<sup>th</sup> June 1813 - 1897)

1/5/5. Silvanus Grove Hillersdon (Born 26 Feb 1816, Christened Barnes, Surrey, 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1816 - 1891) married Harriet Morris 31<sup>st</sup> May or 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1851, Kingston upon Thames

1/5/6. William Reade Hillersdon (born 1818, died 27<sup>th</sup> June 1857, buried at All Souls Memorial Church, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, India)

1/5/7. Frederick Edward Hillersdon (Born 13 Mar 1820 Christened Barnes, Surrey, 27<sup>th</sup> August 1820- 1903)

1/5/8. Charles George Hillersdon (Born 3 Feb 1822 Christened Barnes, Surrey, 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1822)

1/5/9. Charlotte Mary Hillersdon (Born 9 Nov 1823 Christened Barnes, Surrey, 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1824 – died 30 Nov 1881) married Alfred Hudson Shadwell Esq, son of the late Vice Chancellor 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1852, at Barnes.

## **The Morning Chronicle 21st September 1857**

*Killed at Cawnpore Major William Reade Hillersdon, commanding the 53<sup>rd</sup> Regiment B.N.I (Bengal Native Infantry) aged 39, third son of the late John Hillersdon, Esq., of Barnes, Surrey. At Cawnpore, Charles George Hillersdon, Esq., Magistrate and Collector of the district aged 35, fifth son of the said John Hillersdon, Esq., of Barnes,*

*Surrey. Also supposed to have fallen in the general massacre Lydia Leslie the wife of the above aged 21, eldest daughter of the late Major Prole; also John Derville and Lydia their infant son and daughter.*

John Hillersdon died 7<sup>th</sup> December 1839, was buried at Barnes St Mary, Surrey 14<sup>th</sup> December 1839, aged 69.

Maria Hillersdon died 7<sup>th</sup> July 1852 in her 68<sup>th</sup> Year at Barnes, Surrey.

### **1/4/b/1. John Masterman MP**

John Masterman was first elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1811, he was elected Deputy Governor 10<sup>th</sup> June 1824 in the room of Mr John Hillersdon who had been elected Governor.

Following the death of John Hillersdon, John Masterman was elected on the 30<sup>th</sup> December 1839 to be Governor of the Lead Company.

John Masterman a banker, director of the East India Company, and M.P. (Register of London Banks in 1847: Masterman, Peters, Mildred, Masterman and Co, of 35 Nicholas Lane [the members being John Masterman, M.P., William Peters, Daniel Mildred, John Masterman junr., Frederick Mildred, & Edward Masterman]).

John Masterman son of William Masterman (son of Christopher Masterman and Elizabeth Peacock born about 1758) and Lydia Mildred.

John Masterman born 1781 Leyton, Essex married Elizabeth Harris, 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1809 at St Mary the Virgin, Little Ilford, Essex.

### **Children of John and Elizabeth Masterman:**

1/4/b/1/1. Elizabeth born 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1812, at Walthamstow, Essex,

1/4/b/1/2. Robert born 28<sup>th</sup> May 1813, at Walthamstow, Essex, died 9<sup>th</sup> October 1821

1/4/b/1/3. John born 28<sup>th</sup> November 1814 (married Emily Lucy Rhodes 13<sup>th</sup> January 1836, at St Mary the Virgin, Leyton, Essex.)

1/4/b/1/4. Louisa born 31<sup>st</sup> January 1816 (married Isaac Braithwaite 10<sup>th</sup> March 1840), she was baptised 14<sup>th</sup> December 1833, at St Mary The Virgin, Leyton, Essex

1/4/b/1/5. Henry born 8<sup>th</sup> February 1818, at Walthamstow, Essex

1/4/b/1/6. Charlotte born 31<sup>st</sup> January 1820, at Walthamstow, Essex

**1/4/b/1/7. Edward** born 13 February 1821, at Walthamstow, Essex. *See Court of Assistants*

1/4/b/1/8. George born 18<sup>th</sup> October 1822, at Walthamstow, Essex

1/4/b/1/9. Thomas born 29<sup>th</sup> October 1824, at Walthamstow, Essex

The Census of 1841 has at Knotts Green, Low Leyton, Essex, John Masterman aged 60 banker, Elizabeth aged 25, Henry aged 20, Solicitor, Charlotte aged 20, and Edward aged 20.

Also at Knotts Green in 1841, Isaac Braithwaite, aged 30, stockbroker and Louisa aged 25. Isaac died 26<sup>th</sup> January 1890, and Louisa died 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1886 they had 5 sons & 4 daughters.

Elizabeth Masterman died 7<sup>th</sup> September 1831, aged about 50

John Masterman late of Nicholas Lane, London, died 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1862, at Layton Essex. Probate gives effects of £180,000.

The Court minutes of 27<sup>th</sup> February 1862 LLC 30 show: —

*“The probate of the will of John Masterman late of Nicholas Lane in the City of London Banker deceased granted to Thomas Masterman Esq. the brother and Henry Masterman Esq. and Edward Masterman Esq. the sons of the said deceased the executors named in the said will under the principal registry seal of the court of probate bearing date of 8th February 1862 exhibited as registered.”*

## **Octavius Wigram**

Octavius Wigram was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817, he was elected Deputy Governor 30<sup>th</sup> December 1839, elected Governor on 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1860, he stood down as Governor in 1869.



**Credit:** Octavius Wigram, 1861 (oil on canvas), Richmond, George (1809-96) / Private Collection / Photo © The Fine Art Society, London, UK / The Bridgeman Art Library

## **Walthamstow Antiquarian**

### **Society Official publication no. 20 (1928)**

*“Octavius Wigram (18 December 1794 – 20 May 1878) was an English businessman and ship owner in the City of London, a member of Lloyds and Governor of the Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation.*

*“He was born at Walthamstow House, Walthamstow, on 18 December 1794, he was the twelfth child and seventh son of Sir Robert Wigram, 1st Baronet (1744–1830), a merchant shipbuilder and Tory politician who had a total of twenty-three children. He was educated privately at Shacklewell, and at the age of sixteen he entered his father's counting house.”*

*In 1819 he became a director of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company, remaining with the company until his death.*

*From 1823 to 1831 Octavius Wigram is listed as the owner of two ships in the service of the East India Company. In 1824 he was elected a member of Lloyds, and on 24 March 1824 was married at St George's, Hanover Square, by William Knox, Bishop of Derry, to the bishop's daughter, Isabella Charlotte, who was a niece of Thomas Knox, 2nd Viscount Northland. They had three sons and three daughters.*

*Octavius Wigram was a partner in Huldart's Patent Cables Company and Reid's Brewery Company, was on the Committee of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, and was a member of a Royal Commission of inquiry into the law governing pilots.*

*In 1870 he was still Governor of the Royal Exchange Assurance Company, and the next year the Company presented him with his portrait in oils by Sir George Richmond, RA. He died on 20 May 1878."*

### **Children of Octavius & Isabella Wigram**

William Knox born 13th September 1825

Eleanor Frances born 10th May 1827

Francis Spencer born 25th March 1829

Isabella Georgina born 20th September 1830

Clara Maria born 22nd November 1833

Spencer Robert born 22nd October 1835

The Census reports show: —

In 1851, at Hove, Brighton, Octavius Wigram, Brewer, firm of Reid & Co, London, aged 56, his wife Isabella C 57, daughters Isabella G. 20, and Clara M. 17.

In 1861, at Bryanston Square, Marylebone, Octavius Wigram, brewer, aged 66, his wife Isabella C 67, daughter Clara M 27, visitor Emma M Wigram 2, & grandson William A Wigram 6 months.

In 1871, at Mill Field, Prittlewell, Essex, Octavius Wigram, widower, Brewer, firm of Reid & Co, London, aged 76.

### **John William Birch**

John William Birch was first elected to the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> July 1858, and elected Deputy Governor 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1860.

John W Birch was elected Governor 5<sup>th</sup> January 1869, his last year as governor was 1883.

Born Sibton, Suffolk, baptised 30<sup>th</sup> January 1825 died 25th April 1897, son of the Rev Henry William Rous Birch, (born in Calcutta 1794 died 10th Jan 1854), his mother was Lydia Mildred the daughter of Daniel Mildred and Elizabeth Harman.

John W. Birch was a banker, and between 1877 and 1879 he was Deputy Governor of the Bank of England and between 1879 and 1881 he was the Governor of the Bank of England.

John William Birch married Julia Arden (born 8<sup>th</sup> April 1828) 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1852, at St George's Hanover Square, London.

### **Children of John and Julia Birch**

John Arden born 15<sup>th</sup> April 1853, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> May 1853, at St Mary, Marylebone, London

Henry William born 16<sup>th</sup> September 1854, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> November 1854, at St Mark, North Audley Street, London.

Lionel Ernest Birch born 11<sup>th</sup> July 1858, baptised 7<sup>th</sup> August 1858, St George, Hanover Square, London

Francis Mildred Birch born 11<sup>th</sup> December 1862, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> February 1863, St George, Hanover Square, London

George Thackeray born 1<sup>st</sup> May 1865, Marylebone, London.

In 1851, at Woodford Side, Walthamstow, Essex, Louisa Mildred, unmarried, fund holder, aged 48, sister Maria, fund holder, aged 42, sister Elizabeth, widow, fund holder, aged 58, and Nephew John William Birch, Spanish Merchant, aged 26

In 1861, at 27 Park Street, Westminster, John W Birch, Spanish Merchant, Director of Bank of England, Commissioner of Income Tax, aged 36, his wife Julia 32, children, John A 7, Henry W 6, and Lionel E 2.

In 1871, at 27 Cavendish Square, London, Julia Birch, Spanish Merchants wife, aged 41, children, Frank M 9, and George T .5

In 1881, at 27 Cavendish Square, London, John W Birch, merchant and banker, Governor of the Bank of England, aged 56, and his wife Julia 51.

In 1891, at 27 Cavendish Square, London, John W Birch, foreign banker etc, aged 66, his wife Julia 61, and son George T, Lieut 1<sup>st</sup> Royal Scots, aged 25.

Julia Birch of Rickmansworth Park, Hertfordshire, widow, died 8<sup>th</sup> November 1917.

**The Daily News of 5th June 1897: —**

*Personal estate of the value of £65,330. 15s 1d. has been left by Mr, John William Birch, of Rickmansworth Park, Herts; and of the Firm of Mildred, Goyeneche, and Co., merchants, in St. Helens-place, a director of the Bank of England, Governor in 1878-80 (sic), who died at Symon's Hotel, in Brook-street, on the 25th April last, aged seventy-two years. Mr, Birch's will bears date April 27th, 1895. with a codicil of the 6th August 1898.*

## **William Knox Wigram**

William Knox Wigram was elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> January 1870, Deputy Governor 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1882 and was elected Governor 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884.

This was a period of major change in the running of the company as it was planned to become a Limited Company.

### **London Gazette 21<sup>st</sup> December 1883**

*Lead Office, December 17, 1883.*

*NOTICE is hereby given, that the Adjourned General Half-yearly Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal will be held at the Company's House, 9, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 8th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon ; and that immediately after the conclusion of the business of the said Adjourned General Court, an Extraordinary General Court of the said Corporation will be held for the purpose of considering the expediency of registering the Corporation as a Limited Company under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883, and, if approved of, giving the required assent to us being so registered, and passing all resolutions needed for that purpose.*

*By order of the Court of Assistants, John Elliott, Secretary.*

### 5th February 1884 LLC 34

*Resolved that the Court having well considered the effect of the votes taken at the meeting on the 22nd January, have come to the determination to place their seals at the disposal of the shareholders. And the Governor is requested to inform the shareholders of this resolution, and to give them notice of a day to be fixed for the election of a new Court. The date chosen was the 4th March next.*

The Court elected on the 9<sup>th</sup> January was made up as follows:

9<sup>th</sup> January 1884

Mr William Knox Wigram	Governor
Mr John Garrett Cattley	Deputy Governor

#### **Assistants**

Mr Edward Masterman	Mr Henry Ford Barclay
Mr Frederick Halsey Janson	Mr George Woodhouse Currie
Mr Samuel Christie Miller	Mr Charles William Mills
Mr Thomas Barkworth	Mr Isaac Braithwaite

The Court elected on 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884 was:

Governor and Assistants were elected by the shareholders.

Mr Frederick Halsey Janson	Governor
Mr Leonard Shuter	Deputy Governor

#### **Assistants**

Mr Thomas Barkworth	Mr George Wodehouse Currie
Mr William John Foskett	Mr Henry Tuke Mennell
Mr William Henry Christie Miller	Mr John Schofield
Mr Robert Skeet	

William Knox Wigram was the son of **Octavius & Isabella Wigram, see above.**

William Knox Wigram was a barrister and author (Flotsam and Jetsam: A Cargo of Christmas Rhyme 1853, Five Hundred Pounds Reward: A Novel 1867, (Twelve Wonderful Tales Told in Rhyme 1883), he married Mary Anne Pomeroy, 24<sup>th</sup> March 1856, at St John's Church, Cambridge Square, the daughter of the 5<sup>th</sup> Viscount Harberton, John James Pomeroy.

Children of William Knox and Mary Anne Wigram:

Henry Francis born 18<sup>th</sup> January 1857, baptised 21<sup>st</sup> February 1857, at Paddington St John, he married Agnes Vernon Sullivan, 31<sup>st</sup> March 1885, he died in New Zealand 31<sup>st</sup> March 1885

Eleanor Mary born 26<sup>th</sup> May 1858, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> June 1858, at St Johns, Notting Hill, married Francis Hughes Gibb 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1880, registered at Brentford.

William Arthur born 7<sup>th</sup> October 1860, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> November 1860, at St Nicholas', Brighton, he married Edith Constance Louisa Talbot 6<sup>th</sup> September 1888, he died 12<sup>th</sup> December 1943

Helen Isabella born 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1862, died 24<sup>th</sup> July 1877

Margaret Esther born 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1865, married Arthur Edgell Eastwood 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1889, at Esher, Surrey.

Madeline Clara born 10<sup>th</sup> August 1871, died 15<sup>th</sup> December 1936, at Taunton.

***The Catholic Herald of 19<sup>th</sup> February 1937 recorded: Bequests under the will of Miss Madeline Clara Wigram (£64,002, net personally £60,345) include her residence, Kings Gatchell, near Taunton, and £1,000 for a religious house, to the Superioress of***



*the Convent of the Visitation, Harrow-on-the Hill, or, if not accepted, successively to the Sacred Heart convent, Roehampton, and the Abbot of Buckfast.*

In 1871, at The Chestnuts, Isleworth, William K Wigram, barrister, aged 45, his wife Mary Ann 38, children Eleanor M 12, William A. 10, Helen I 8, and Margaret E 5.  
In 1881, at The Chestnuts, Isleworth, W K Wigram, J.P. Magistrate, aged 55, his wife Mary Ann 48, children, William A, mercantile clerk, aged 20, Margaret 15, Madeline Clara 9, son in law Francis Hughes Gibb, B.A. Cam, aged 24, and daughter Eleanor Mary Gibb 22, and grandchild Dorothy aged 3 months.  
Mary Ann Wigram died 19<sup>th</sup> April 1883, registered at Brentford, Middlesex.  
William Knox Wigram died 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1885, at his home The Chestnuts, Twickenham.

**Probate 1885:** 5 September. *The Will of William Knox Wigram late of the Chesnuts St. Margaret's Isleworth in the County of Middlesex Esquire who died 3 August 1885 at the Chesnuts was proved at the Principal Registry by Francis Spencer Wigram of Elstow in the County of Bedford the Brother and William Arthur Wigram of the Chesnuts the Son Esquires two of the Executors.*  
*Personal Estate £80,760 0s. 3d. Resworn February 1886 £82,229 0s. 3d*

**Frederick Halsey Janson** was elected to the Court of Assistants 10<sup>th</sup> April 1883 and elected Governor 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884, he served as Governor until 1899

**Source: "The History of the l'Anson Family" by Brian l'Anson**

*Joseph l'Anson, of St. Laurence Pountney, E.C., born 18<sup>th</sup> December, 1704; married Sarah, daughter of Edward Halsey on 7<sup>th</sup> December, 1752, Joseph died 10<sup>th</sup> February, 1766. Sarah died on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 1762, aged 40.*

*Children of Joseph and Sarah l'Anson:*

*Edward born 26<sup>th</sup> June, 1755.*

*Edward l'Anson changed the spelling of his name to Janson he married Mary, daughter of Thomas Horne, of Tottenham, on 24<sup>th</sup> April 1777, Edward died 14<sup>th</sup> March 1813.*

**Children of Edward and Mary Janson:**

*1. Halsey, born 16<sup>th</sup> June 1779.*

*2. Thomas Horne, born 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1785.*

*3. Joseph, of Church Street, Stoke Newington, born 12<sup>th</sup> July, 1789; died 30<sup>th</sup> April, 1846*

*4. Mary, born 1<sup>st</sup> April 1778; married William Atkins, 29<sup>th</sup> April 1801, died 26<sup>th</sup> March 1837*

*5. Sarah, born 19<sup>th</sup> November 1799.*

*2. Thomas Horne Janson, of Hurst Pierpoint, Sussex married, Sarah, daughter of John Corbyn, of London at Westminster Friends Meeting House on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1808.*

*Thomas Horne Janson died 21<sup>st</sup> January 1847; Sarah died 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1870.*

*Children of Thomas and Sarah Janson:*

2/1. Thomas Corbyn, born 1st July, 1809; he married his cousin, Louisa, daughter of  
2/2. Halsey Janson, of Clapton 13th August, 1834, he died 23rd June, 1863 (a banker).

**2/3. Frederick Halsey**, born 8th February 1813

2/4. Anthony, who died in infancy.

2/5. Caroline, born 7th November 1814; she married her cousin, Henry Janson, of Clayhill, Walthamstow on 23rd June 1847; she died 24th October 1857.

**2/3. Frederick Halsey Janson**, Deputy Lieutenant for Tower Hamlets, Solicitor, of Oak Bank, Chislehurst, President of the Incorporated Law Society in 1873-4, Master of the Leather sellers' Company in 1871 in 1882 a director of Guardian Fire & Life Assurance Company.

Frederick Halsey Janson married, Elizabeth Ann, daughter of Abraham Tozer; at Hackney, Middlesex, on 11<sup>th</sup> July 1847, she died on 5<sup>th</sup> February 1889, aged 62.

Children of Frederick Halsey and Elizabeth Ann Janson:

Agnes Elizabeth, born 12th July 1848, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> May 1852 at St Thomas, Hackney, married, on 21st September 1880, Francis Holdsworth Hunt, and had five children.

Emmeline Corbyn born 25th August 1849, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> May 1852, at St Thomas, Hackney

Edith Sarah born 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1851, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> May 1852, at St Thomas, Hackney

Theodore Halsey born 5th November 1852, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> December 1852, at St Thomas, Hackney died 20th September 1888.

Frederick Arthur born 5th July 1854, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> August 1854, at St Thomas, Hackney

Ernest Tozer born 20th January 1856, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> March 1856, at St Thomas, Hackney

Caroline Frances born 29th December 1857, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> March 1858, at St Thomas, Hackney

Florence Mary born 7th November 1862, baptised 14<sup>th</sup> December 1862, at Chislehurst, Kent

Halsey Edgar born 6th August 1864; baptised 21<sup>st</sup> August 1864, at Chislehurst, Kent died 26th August 1864.

Lucy Constance born 4th November 1867, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> December 1867, at Chislehurst, Kent

**Frederick Halsey Janson** died 1<sup>st</sup> May 1913, aged one hundred years, at Hove, Sussex.

## **William John Foscett 1900 -**

William John Foscett was elected to the Court of Assistants March 1884, in January 1889 he was elected Deputy Governor January 1889, the minutes show he remained as deputy Governor until, 1899, Arthur Raistrick states he was Governor of the Company in 1900.

William John Foscett baptised 9<sup>th</sup> October 1836, at Bermondsey, St Mary Magdalene, Southwark, Surrey, son of William Benjamin and Mary A Foscett

William John Foscett a merchant in Fenchurch Street, London

The Census reports show:

William John Foscett married Sophia Mary Ann Dain 20<sup>th</sup> November 1862, at St Mary Magdalene, Southwark.

In 1871, at 1 Western Villa, Penge, Surrey, William J Foscett, merchant, aged 34, his wife Sophia M A 35, children Robert William 6, Ada Sophia 4, Reginald Charles 3, and Ethel Beatrice 1.

In 1881, at Medina Terrace, Brighton, William J. Foscett, American merchant, aged 45, his wife Sophia M.A. 40, children Ada S. 14, Ethel B. 11, Maude Helena. 5, and Blanche Marguerita. 3.

In 1891, at Medina Terrace, Brighton, William J Foscett, aged 54, his wife Sophia M A 55, children Herbert H 26, Ada S 24, Reginald C 23, Ethel B 21, Maude H 15, and Blanche 13.

In 1901 at Hove, Sussex, William J Foscett, living on own means, aged 65, his wife Sophia M A 64, children Herbert W 36, Reginald C 33, Ada S 34, Maude H 25, and Blanche M 23.

In 1911, at 26 Adelaide Crescent, Hove, William John Foscett, private means, aged 74, his wife Sophia Mary Ann 75, children Herbert William 46, Ada Sophia 44, Reginald Charles 43, and Maude Holand 35.

The London Daily News of 11<sup>th</sup> December 1911 reported the death of Herbert William Foscett, elder son of John Foscett of Adelaide Crescent Hove on 6<sup>th</sup> December 1911.

Sophia Mary Ann Foscett died 17<sup>th</sup> March 1923 at 26 Adelaide Crescent, Hove.

**William John Foscett** died 7<sup>th</sup> November 1926, at Adelaide Crescent, Hove.

Probate gives effects £342,799 19s 2d.

#### **1<sup>st</sup> February 1927, The London Gazette**

#### **WILLIAM JOHN FOSKETT, Deceased.**

*Pursuant to the Trustee Act, 1925.*

*NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of William John Foscett, late of 26, Adelaide-crescent Hove, in the county of Sussex, formerly of 9, Fenchurch street, in the city of London, deceased (who died on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1926, and to whose estate letters of administration, with the will and codicil annexed, were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1927, to Reginald Charles Foscett and Ethel Beatrice Wright (Widow) the administrators of the said estate), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us; the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrators, on or before the 5<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1927, after which date the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands they - shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1927.*

*PARKER GARRETT and CO., St. Michael's Rectory, Cornhill, London, E.G. 3, Solicitors for the said Administrators.*

## DEPUTY GOVERNORS

George Moore	1692 – 1693
Thomas Addison	1694 – 1696
<i>Enoch Floyd</i>	<i>1705 – 1730</i>
Samuel Beachcroft	1730 – 1732
<i>John Freame</i>	<i>1732 – 1733</i>
<i>Cornelius Mason</i>	<i>1734 – 1742</i>
<i>Thomas Hyam</i>	<i>1743 – 1752</i>
Timothy Colston	1752 – 1758
<i>James Mathias</i>	<i>1758 – 1763</i>
<i>Jacob Hagen</i>	<i>1763 – 1782</i>
John Crellius	1782 – 1789
Thomas Cogan	1790 – 1792
<i>Francis Cooper</i>	<i>1792 – 1795</i>
Richard Chester	1795 – 1809
<i>Jacob Hagen</i>	<i>1810 – 1811</i>
<i>James Palmer</i>	<i>1811 – 1817</i>
<i>Thomas How Masterman</i>	<i>1817 – 1823</i>
<i>John Hillersdon</i>	<i>1823 – 1824</i>
<i>John Masterman</i>	<i>1824 – 1839</i>
<i>Octavius Wigram</i>	<i>1839 – 1860</i>
<i>John William Birch</i>	<i>1860 – 1869</i>
Henry Tritton	1869 – 1876
Herbert Barnard	1877 – 1881
<i>William Knox Wigram</i>	<i>1882 – 1884</i>
John Garrett Cattley	1884 – 1884
Leonard Shuter	1884 – 1886
The minutes do not record a deputy governor elected 1887 & 1888	
<i>William John Foskett</i>	<i>1889 – 1899</i>

Those names in Italics are those who became Governors of the Company and are previously recorded under Governors

## **George Moore**

Both George Moore (Merchant) was mentioned in the Charter as a Merchant. George Moore was present at the first meeting of the Company on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, held at the Halfe Moone Taverne in Cheapside, and was sworn in as Deputy Governor 14<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was last elected as Deputy Governor 29<sup>th</sup> December 1692, to serve for the year 1693

George was replaced as Deputy Governor on 4<sup>th</sup> January 1694, by Thomas Addison, he re-joined the Court as an Assistant.

The Court minutes of 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705: — *Mr George Moore, & Mr Mathias Cupper late Assistants of this Company have severally transferred out all their severall & respective shares and interests in the Stock of this Company Whereby they are severally become unqualified for the said office or place of Assistants.*

*See the Moore Family in Court of Assistants.*

George Moore did not marry, Probable birth 1655 died 1732 at Lambeth, Surrey, he was buried at St Dunstan in the East, City of London, 24<sup>th</sup> July 1732

## **Thomas Addison**

Present at the first meeting of the Company on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, held at the Halfe Moone Taverne in Cheapside.

The minutes of the meeting held at the Crown and Cusheon in the Strand on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705 show Thomas Addison as being present as Deputy Governor, these minutes state that when the Company closed in 1696 he disposed of his shares in the Company, so was therefore unable to continue as a member of the Company.

Owner of Mines, Minerals, Lead & Iron Works

Born at Blennerhasset, Torpenhow, East of Maryport, about 1641, father Lancelot Addison, mother Jane Milner, married 20<sup>th</sup> November 1640, at Crosby, Ravensworth. Married Frances Featherstonehaugh daughter of Sir Timothy Featherstonehaugh Children of Thomas and Frances Addison:

Bridget baptised 25<sup>th</sup> June 1678, at St Bees

Jane married Hugh Simpson 29<sup>th</sup> October 1699, at St Bees

His Will of 14<sup>th</sup> August 1702, Codicil 8<sup>th</sup> May 1711, referred to his Ships and shares in Ships, Iron Works, Lead Works, other Works, Mines and Minerals

Thomas Addison of Solahay Street, Parish of St Margaret's Westminster,

Possible burial at St Margarets, Westminster 1711, Probate 8<sup>th</sup> June 1711

### **The constitution and finance of English, Scottish and Irish Joint Stock Companies to 1720 Volume 1 By William Robert Scott**

*"In 1690 there is mention of the smelting of metals "in close and reverberatory furnaces," and John Hodges, the inventor, procured a patent for the use of this invention in Ireland . The following year, Thomas Addison endeavoured to show that he had discovered a method of smelting all sorts of iron ore, iron stone, slags, cinders and other material, using pit or sea coal, by which means good iron could be made cheaper than heretofore. He obtained a warrant for a patent on February*

*15th, 1692 . Addison transferred his patent to a number of others, and he, together with his partners, petitioned on December 6th for incorporation on the ground that the undertaking required many thousands, which could only be raised by means of a joint-stock . The Attorney-General reported on December 14th that the petitioners supported their request for a charter, by arguing that the requisite capital could not be raised otherwise, since u persons are unwilling to advance great sums in a way of partnership, because, in case of the bankruptcy of any of the partners, the stock in partnership would be liable to be seized, and for this and other reasons, he recommended the grant of a charter, subject to the persons proposing to be incorporated being prevented from making an ill-use of it, by the insertion of clauses providing for the determination of the patent should the undertaking prove hurtful to the public or if the works were not established and carried on effectually. Accordingly, a charter was sealed incorporating the members as the Governor and Company for Making Iron with Pit Coaly with the privileges of a new invention for ever. The court consisted of a governor, deputy-governor and fourteen assistants. The shareholders had one vote for each share up to four votes, which was the maximum. ...”*

## **Samuel Beachcroft**

Swore the required oath to become a member of the Company December 1707, elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1708. He was elected to become Deputy Governor 10<sup>th</sup> March 1730 he served until December 1731 he was replaced by John Freame 6<sup>th</sup> January 1732.

Clothworker of London

Samuel was born 13<sup>th</sup> August 1673 at Lavenham, Suffolk, father Samuel (died 1686) mother Susannah Gurnall ( baptised 4<sup>th</sup> April 1650, at Lavenham, Suffolk, father William)

His sister Mary born 1683, married Henry Boughton aged 40, 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1723, she died 14<sup>th</sup> October 1741, at Lavenham, Suffolk.

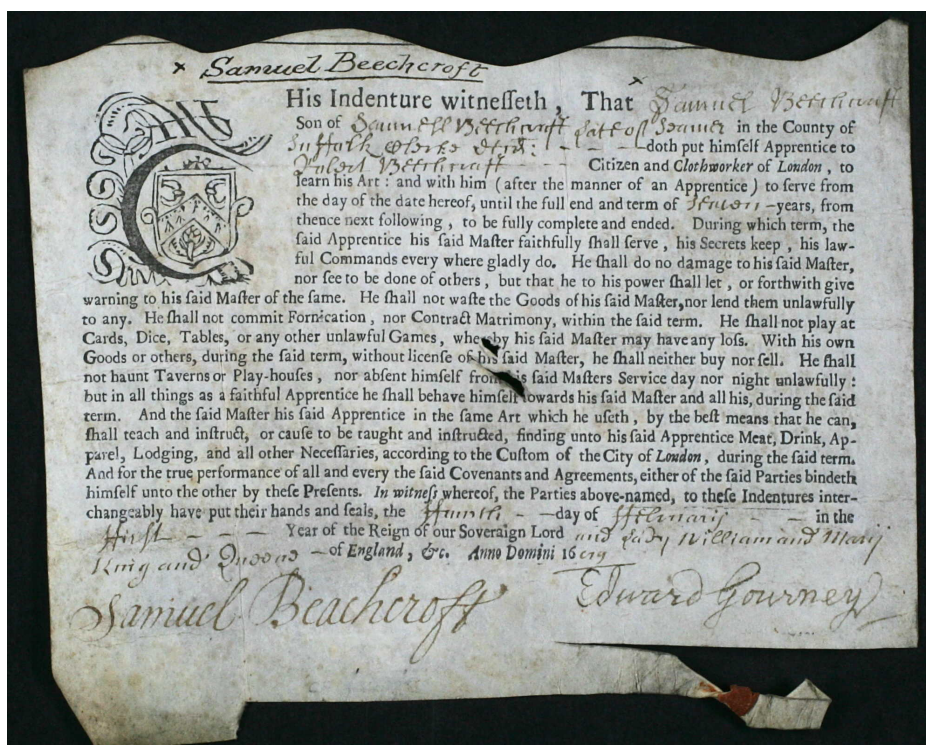
His sister Susanna Beachcroft baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1677 married Thomas Bound, Susan Bound of Wandsworth widow buried 7<sup>th</sup> February 1741, at Clekenwell, Islington.

Samuel Beachcroft served his apprenticeship with his fathers brother Sir Robert Beachcroft, from whom he inherited the Manor of Preston Hall, Suffolk, in 1721.

Samuel married Mary Matthew (daughter of Richard Matthew see *Court of Assistants*) 30<sup>th</sup> October 1701, at Saint Giles, Cripplegate, London

Children of Samuel and Mary Beachcroft.

1. Matthew born 10<sup>th</sup> September 1704 married Elizabeth Porten 10<sup>th</sup> April 1729
2. Robert born 5<sup>th</sup> September 1707. The Reverend Robert Beachcroft, MA., married Susanna Hudson 6<sup>th</sup> April 1738
3. Mary born 12<sup>th</sup> April 1713, married Joseph Beachcroft 16<sup>th</sup> December 1731, at St
4. Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey. (Joseph died Abt 1758, at Tottenham, Middlesex).



Mary Beachcroft snr died March 1732. She gave 100 shares in the Joint Stock of the Governor and Company for smelting down lead with Pit coal and Sea coal, and likewise 100 shares to her son Robert and daughter Mary (unmarried when the will written)

Samuel Beachcroft died 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1733, his will was dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1731, probate 14<sup>th</sup> December 1733

Samuel and his wife Mary were buried at St Michael Bassishaw, Bassinghall Street Church

## Timothy Colston

Timothy Colston took the oath appointed by the Charter before the Governor in open Court & thereupon was admitted a member of this Company on the 6<sup>th</sup> September 1726..

He was first elected to the Court of Assistant January 1738, he was elected as Deputy Governor 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1752, he was last elected December 1757 to serve as Deputy Governor for the year 1758.

Merchant Tailor

Timothy Colston married Mary Rachel 7<sup>th</sup> July 1705 at Swallow Street Chapel, Westminster

Mary wife of Timothy Colston buried 15<sup>th</sup> February 1748, at St Michael, Cornhill

Timothy Colston was buried 11<sup>th</sup> September 1758 at St Michael, Cornhill, London.

## **John Crellius/Crelius**

First elected to the Court of assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754, he was elected as Deputy Governor 18<sup>th</sup> July 1782, he was last elected Deputy Governor 29<sup>th</sup> December 1788, to serve for 1789.

Merchant, probably Cordwainer of St Thomas Apostle, Precinct, City of London

Possible baptism 14<sup>th</sup> January 1724, at St Magnus the Martyr, London, parents Peter (a Dutch merchant) & Margaret Crellius.

## **Thomas Cogan**

First elected to the Court of Assistants January 1761, he was elected Deputy Governor 1<sup>st</sup> January 1790 and served until his death in 1792.

Baptised 19<sup>th</sup> April 1710, at St Giles without, Cripplegate, London, parents Thomas & Elizabeth Cogan.

Thomas Cogan Justice of the Peace for the county of Middlesex

Thomas Cogan married Philadelphia Stephens 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1764, at St Mary, Islington.

Children of Thomas and Philadelphia Cogan:

Philadelphia baptised 27<sup>th</sup> August 1766, married John Heylyn (solicitor) 11<sup>th</sup> September 1786

Thomas White born 11<sup>th</sup> February 1768, Thomas matriculated from Trinity College, Oxford 1790 aged 22. Rev Thomas White Cogan B.A. of Trinity College Oxford, and Vicar of East Dean married Louisa Carpenter 31<sup>st</sup> December 1795.

William Francis born 11<sup>th</sup> February 1768, buried 12<sup>th</sup> March 1868.

Charles Hore born 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1770, matriculated Oriel College, Oxford University, 1789. In 1792 an Ensign in 19<sup>th</sup> then 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Foot Guards, promoted to Lieutenant in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Regiment of Foot Guards in 1794. Married Mary Douglas

Thomas Cogan Esquire died 18<sup>th</sup> June buried 26<sup>th</sup> June 1792 at St Mary, Islington aged 83. He gave 40 shares each of Joint Stock of the Governor and Company for smelting down lead with Pit coal and Sea coal to his sons Thomas and Charles.

Philadelphia Cogan died 24<sup>th</sup> April 1792

## **London Gazette Issue 13138**

*Notice is hereby given, That the Co-partnership formerly subsisting between Thomas Cogan and James Palmer, late of Cornhill, London, Haberdashers, was, by mutual Consent, dissolved on the 25th Day of December last; all Persons, therefore, who are indebted to the said late Co-partnership are desired to pay their said Debts to the said James Palmer, who is authorized to receive the same; and all Persons having Demands against the said late Partnership are desired to bring in an Account thereof to the said James Palmer, who will pay and satisfy the same, and in whose Name and on whose separate Account the Business will for the future be carried on.*

*Dated this 5th Day of October, 1789.*

*Thomas Cogan. James Palmer*



## **Richard Chester**

First elected to the Court of Assistants January 1774. He was elected Deputy Governor 21<sup>st</sup> May 1795, he was last elected 29<sup>th</sup> December 1809 to serve for the year 1810

John Chester born 7<sup>th</sup> April 1699, married Sara Hobs 26<sup>th</sup> November 1724 at London.

Sarah wife of John Chester, skinner, was buried 25<sup>th</sup> August 1748, aged 44 years. John Chester, Skinner was buried 10<sup>th</sup> February 1749, aged about 50 years.

Richard Chester born 4<sup>th</sup> June 1736, at Cannon Street, London, son of John and Sarah Chester.

Richard Chester, married Patience Freeman (parents Francis and Sarah Freeman, Francis Freeman an Apothecary late of Bristol both parents deceased) 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1759 at Tottenham, Middlesex.

No Children recorded

Patience Chester of Stoke Newington died 12<sup>th</sup> November 1802, aged 61, buried 19<sup>th</sup> November 1802, at Winchmoor Hill.

Richard Chester, furrier of Stoke Newington, Middlesex, died 23<sup>rd</sup> March, buried 30<sup>th</sup> March 1810, aged 75 at Winchmoor Hill, Middlesex.

## **The Gentleman's Magazine and Historical Chronicle From January to June 1810, Vol LXXX**

*In Stoke Newington, Middlesex, aged about 74, Richard Chester, a respectable member of the Society of Friends, and deputy governor of the Lead Company. He was originally a Furrier in Abchurch Lane, but retired long ago from business.*

## **Henry Tritton**

Henry Tritton senior first elected to the Court of Assistants January 1825, he was a member of the Court of Assistants when he died in 1838.

Henry Tritton senior, was born on 26 February 1790, he was the son of John Henton Tritton and Mary Barclay (married 6th August 1783).

He married Amelia Benwell, daughter of Joseph Benwell, on 23 September 1814. He died on 20 April 1838 age 48, at St John's Hill, Battersea, after a long illness.

Amelia died 28th March 1855, at St John's Hill Battersea, aged 64.

## **Children of Henry and Amelia Tritton**

1. **Henry** born 7th July 1815 at Clapham, Surrey
2. Amelia born 14th August 1817, married Rev Israel May Soule, of St John's Hill, Battersea, 5th May 1841
3. Joseph Tritton born 21st September 1819, married Amelia Hanson 8th November 1843.
4. Harriet born 5th November 1822 married Jos. Gurney Esq on the 29th August 1843.
5. Anna Maria born 11th September 1825 died 28th January 1828 aged 2 years.

**1. Henry Tritton jnr** was first elected to the Court of Assistants February 1843. He was elected as Deputy Governor, 5<sup>th</sup> January 1869, he served until his death 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1877

**1. Henry Tritton** married Elizabeth Anne Maxwell (Only daughter of the Rev. P. Maxwell of Almer, Dorset) on 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1839, at Trinity Church, Marylebone.

Children of Henry Tritton and Elizabeth Anne Maxwell

Emily Mary born 20<sup>th</sup> July 1840, married Alexander Buller, February 1870.

Henry John born 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1842, married Annie Isabella Buller 30<sup>th</sup> May 1866 he died 17<sup>th</sup> February 1922

Edward William born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1844, married Alice Jane Verney 30<sup>th</sup> September 1874.

Caroline Elizabeth born 1<sup>st</sup> January 1846, married Charles Alexander Hall 27<sup>th</sup> April 1865.

Anne Henrietta born 5<sup>th</sup> May 1847, married Charles Duberly 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 1885

Wilfred Francis born 9<sup>th</sup> May 1849, married Marion Amelia Churchar (died 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1898, at Thakeham, Surrey aged 48) 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1895.

Catherine Louisa born 6<sup>th</sup> August 1850, married Rev. Clement Rene Sharp

Mary Eleanor born 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1852, did not marry, died 18<sup>th</sup> March 1927.

Elizabeth Anne born 13<sup>th</sup> March 1853, did not marry, died 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 1917.

Edith Isabella born 4<sup>th</sup> May 1855, married John Henry Bridges 15<sup>th</sup> January 1879.

The Census Reports show: —

In 1851, at 32 Portland Place, Marylebone, Henry Tritton, banker, aged 35, his wife Elizh Ann 34, children Emily Mary 10, Henry John 8, Edward Wm 6, Caroline Elizh 5, Ann Henrietta 3, Wilfrid Francis 2, and Catherine Louisa 7 months.

In 1861, at 32 Portland Place, Marylebone, Henry Tritton, banker, aged 45, his wife Elizabeth A. 44, children Edward Wm 16, Ann Henrietta 13, Wilfrid Francis 12, Catherine L. 10, Mary E. 9, Elizabeth A 8, and Edith I. 5.

In 1871, at 83 Portland Place, Henry Tritton, banker & landowner, aged 55, his wife Elizabeth A 54, son Edward W. student of law, aged 26, daughters Mary E 19, and Elizabeth 18.

In 1881, at 3 Chesham Street, Knightsbridge, Elizabeth A. Tritton, widow, land owner, aged 64, daughters Anna H. 33, and Mary E. 29.

Henry Tritton died 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1877

#### **The Pall Mall Gazette 3rd January 1877.**

*We regret to announce the death of Mr Henry Tritton for many years one of the senior partners of the banking firm of Messrs. Barclay, Bevan, Tritton, Twells, and Company of Lombard Street. Mr Tritton died suddenly of Scarlatina, yesterday afternoon at his residence at Beddington.*

In 1901 Elizabeth Anne Tritton was living at Riverside Stables, Beddington St Mary, Croydon, with her daughter Mary Anne, Elizabeth Anne died 2nd quarter 1901, at Croydon, Surrey, aged about 84 years.

#### **The Birmingham Daily Post 9th February 1877**

##### **WILLS AND BEQUESTS,**

*The will and codicil of Mr, Henry Tritton, late of Lombard Street, London, banker, who died on the 2nd ult. at Beddington, Surrey, were proved on the 26th ult., the personal estate being sworn under £250,000. The testator leaves to his widow £2,000, all his*

*furniture, plate, household effects, horses, and carriages, the use and occupation of his house and grounds at Beddington, and an annuity of £1,400; to his eldest son, Henry John Tritton, his freehold house at Ewell, all his real estate in the county of Kent, his pictures, his leasehold house, in Great Portland Street, with the furniture, and. such a sum as with the capital he has already advanced him will make up £20,000, to his son Edward William all his interest in Battersea Bridge and £21,000; to his son Wilfred Francis, £25,000; to his daughter, Mrs. Buller, £5,000.; to his daughter, Mrs Hall, and his unmarried daughters, £2,500 each; he also leaves additional legacies of £10,000, to each of his-unmarried daughters and £3,000 to each of his married daughters; to his brother Joseph all his share in the unsold portions of his late father's estate; to his executors 200 guineas each; to Dr. Alfred Meadows and the Rev. William Edward Heygate, 100 guineas each; to William Henry Covington, the senior clerk in his bank, £200; to James M. Barnes, another clerk in the bank, £100; and £1,400 to-be distributed by Mr. Barclay and Mr. Joseph Tritton among the other clerks in such bank. There are legacies and annuities to many of his servants, and £300- is given to his wife to divide among the others. The residue of his property he gives to his two sons, Henry John and Edward William. The testator sets out his religious belief, and states that he dies a faithful member of the Church of England. Probate 25<sup>th</sup> Jan 1877.*

## **Herbert Barnard**

First mentioned as an Assistant to the Court January 1859. He was elected as Deputy Governor 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1877, he was last elected as Deputy Governor 4<sup>th</sup> January 1881.

Herbert Barnard baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1831, at St Marylebone, Westminster, parents John and Mary Ann Barnard.

In 1851, at 69 Portland Place, Marylebone, John Barnard, widower, Banker, aged 50, children, Herbert, bankers clerk, aged 19, Elizabeth 17, and his sister Elizabeth Barnard, unmarried, fund holder, aged 54.

Herbert Barnard married Ellen Wyndham (father William Wyndham M.P.) 20<sup>th</sup> April 1854, at Dinton, Wiltshire. Two of the witnesses were Susan Spencer Churchill, and L. Caroline Spencer Churchill.

In 1861, at 69 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Magistrate, Banker, aged 29, his wife Ellen 28, children, Florence Wyndham 5, Beatrice Ellen 3, Herbert Wyndham 2, Mabel Katherine Wyndham 1 month, and visitor Lucy Caroline Spencer Churchill, aged 29.

In 1871, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Magistrate and banker, aged 39, his wife Ellen 38, children, Florence W 15, Beatrice E 13, Mabel K W 10, Lilian W 9, Ernest W 7, Violet M 6, Maud E 5, Cyril W 4, Hilde M 1, and Mary I 1.

In 1881, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Magistrate, Commissioner of Public Works, Banker, aged 49, his wife Ellen 48, children, Florence W 25, Beatrice E 23, Herbert W, commercial clerk, tea trade, aged 22, Mabel K 20, Lillian W 19, Violet M W 16, Maud E W 15, Hilda M W 11, Mary I W 11, Libby 9, and Winifred K W 7.

Ellen Barnard died 10<sup>th</sup> June 1889, aged 57.

In 1891, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Widower, Banker, Magistrate, Commissioner of Public Works, aged 59, children, Florence Wyndham 35, Beatrice Ellen 33, Mabel Katherine 30, Lillian Wyndham 29, Ernest William, Banker, aged 27, Violet Mary W 26, Maud Evelyn W 25, Hilda Mary W 21, Mary Isobel W 21, Sibyl Margaret 19, and Winifred Katherine W 17.

Herbert Barnard was Knighted in 1898.

Osborne, January 25, 1898. THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Herbert Barnard, Esq., Chairman of the Public Works Loan Commission.

In 1901, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Widower, Knight, Magistrate, Banker, aged 69, children, Florence Wyndham 45, Mabel K. W 40, Ernest W, Banker, aged 37, Violet M W 36, Maud W 35, Sibyl M W 29, and Winifred K W 27, son in law, Edward H Lefroy, solicitor, aged 42, and daughter Lilian W Lefroy 39.

In 1911, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone, Herbert Barnard, Widower, Retired Banker, aged 79, children, Florence W 56, Mabel K. W 50, Violet M W 47, Mary I. W 42, and Ernest W, Director of Bank, aged 48.

Herbert Barnard died 30<sup>th</sup> June 1920, aged 88, at 23 Portland Place, Marylebone.

**Probate 1920**

*BARNARD sir Herbert of 23 Portland-place Middlesex knight died 30 June 1920 Probate London 14 September to Herbert Wyndham Barnard esquire Ernest Wyndham Barnard major H.M. army Cyril Wyndham Barnard esquire and Beatrice Ellen Barnard spinster. Effects £258022 3s. 7d.*

**London Gazette Issue 1384 25<sup>th</sup> March 1881**

*Lead Office, March 22, 1881. Court of Assistants of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal hereby give notice, that a Special Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the Company's House, Martin's lane, Cannon-street, on Tuesday, the 12th April next, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon till, one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Deputy Governor for the remainder of the present year, in the place of Mr. Herbert Barnard who has resigned his office.*

*John Elliott, Secretary*

Bank of Dimsdale, Fowler, Barnard and Dimsdales, 50 Cornhill.

Dimsdale, Fowler, Barnard & Dimsdales (1759-1891), established in London, was a past constituent of NatWest.

**John Garratt Cattley 1884 – 1884**

John Garratt Cattley first elected to the Court of Assistants March 1849. He was first elected as Deputy Governor 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884, following the re-organisation of the Company in this year he was not re-elected when the new elections took place 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884

John Cattley born 17<sup>th</sup> April 1785 at Bransby, Yorkshire

John Cattley married Frances Garratt , daughter of John and Mary Garratt (born 11<sup>th</sup> September 1794) 8<sup>th</sup> May 1816, at St Mary, Islington.

Children of John and Frances Cattley:

1. John Garratt born 12<sup>th</sup> March 1817, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> April 1817, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
2. Mary born 30<sup>th</sup> October 1818, baptised 30<sup>th</sup> April 1819, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
3. Emily Frances, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> June 1821, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
4. Frances Catherine baptised 20<sup>th</sup> April 1824, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
5. Lucy baptised 27<sup>th</sup> September 1825, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
6. Maria born 26<sup>th</sup> October 1826, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1827, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
7. Helen baptised 29<sup>th</sup> June 1829, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London
8. Martha Alice baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> November 1835, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London

John Cattley was a Russia Merchant and banker, and founding partner of the firm "Cattleys and Carr" Moorgate Street, E.C. "Import and Export Merchants".

In 1841, at Highbury Terrace, Islington, John Cattley, merchant, aged 50, his wife Frances 45, daughters, Mary 20 and Alice 8.

In 1851, at Lions Down, Chipping Barnet, Middlesex, John Cattley, married, Merchant Russian, aged 65, children, Frances 28, Lucy 26, Maria 24, and Alice 16.

In 1851, at Belgrave Terrace, Brighton. Lodging House, lodgers, Frances Cattley, married aged 56, and daughters, Mary 32, and Helen 22.

In 1861, at Shabden House, Chipstead, Surrey, John Cattley, East India Merchant. aged 75, his wife Frances 66, and daughters, Katherin 38, and Lucy 36.

John Cattley died 21<sup>st</sup> November 1862, at Shabden Park, Surrey.

Frances Cattley died 10<sup>th</sup> June 1869, at Shabden Park, Surrey.



John Cattley formed the import and export company Cattleys and Carr  
Source: [www.dugleystephen.com](http://www.dugleystephen.com)

*John Cattley was the son of Thomas Cattley III, a farmer who died in Stearsby in 1836. John moved to London and formed the import and export company Cattleys and Carr, with its headquarters on Moorgate Street. The family had strong links with Russia, with several living in St. Petersburg, and the company imported Russian tallow. Cattley married Frances Garrett in 1815 and together they had eight children, seven girls and one boy John Garrett Cattley, the eldest, became a member of the board of his father's company. (Source: www.dugglebystephenson.com)*

**1. John Garratt Cattley** married Hannah Sophia Williams 14<sup>th</sup> June 1851, at St John, Paddington, Westminster.

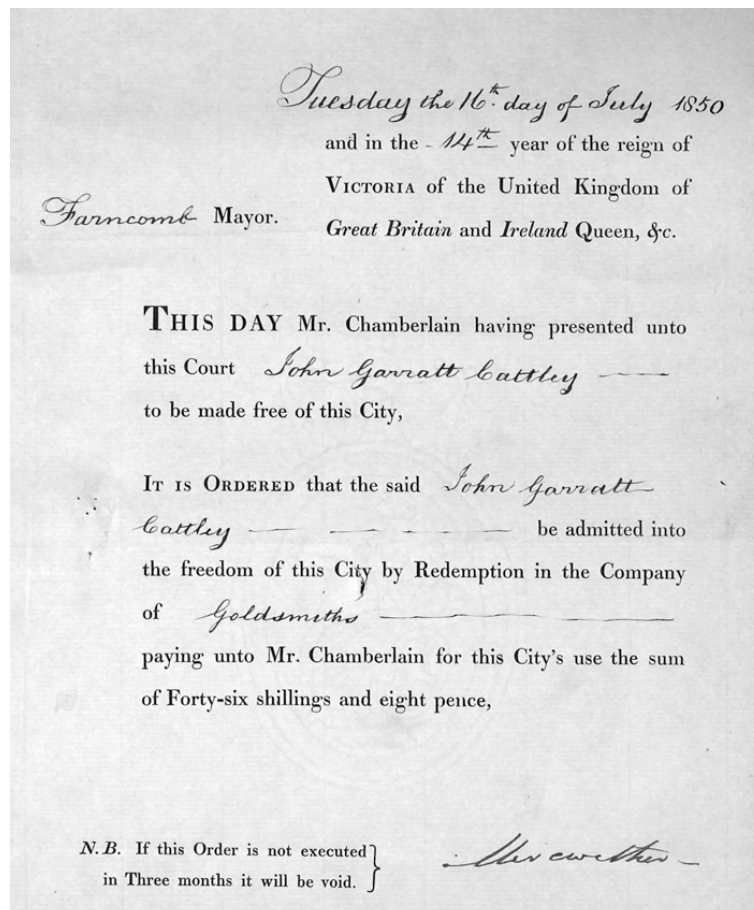
In 1871, at the Great Western Hotel, Paddington, John Garratt Cattley, married, magistrate and landowner, aged 54, and his wife Hannah Sophia aged 47.

In 1881, at Pilmuir House, Paignton, Devon, Charles Freeman, County JP, retired merchant, aged 58, his wife Louisa M aged 57, daughter Adelaide C 15, and visitor John G Cattley, JP., widower, retired merchant aged 64.

In 1891, at Shabden House, Chipstead, Reigate, Surrey, John G Cattley, widower, JP., retired merchant, aged 74, and visitor William G Rathbone, married, tea merchant, aged 44, his wife Blanche M aged 34, born New York, USA, their children, Elena 12, and William 16.

Hannah Sophia Cattley died 5<sup>th</sup> December 1880, and was buried 9<sup>th</sup> December 1880, aged 57, at St Margaret, Chipstead, Surrey.

John Garratt Cattley, died 25<sup>th</sup> May 1900, buried 29<sup>th</sup> May 1900, aged 83, at St Margaret, Chipstead, Surrey.



## Leonard Shuter

Leonard Shuter was not mentioned in the Court minutes until March 1884 when he was elected Deputy Governor. The Court minutes of 1887 & 1888 do not show a Deputy Governor and Leonard Shuter is not mentioned in the list of Assistants, but he was a member of the court of Assistants from 1889 to 1899.

Thomas Allen Shuter married Sarah Frances Valpy 14<sup>th</sup> April 1810, at St Lawrence, Reading.

Children of Thomas and Sarah Shuter:

1. Thomas Allen baptised 7<sup>th</sup> August 1812, at St Mary Lewisham
2. Richard Valpy baptised 26<sup>th</sup> January 1814, at St Mary Lewisham
3. Sarah Frances Valpy baptised 31<sup>st</sup> October 1815, at St Mary Lewisham
4. Fanny Valpy baptised 9<sup>th</sup> September 1817, at St Mary Lewisham
5. John baptised 20<sup>th</sup> April 1819, at St Mary, Lewisham.
6. Mary Valpy baptised 14<sup>th</sup> January 1821, at St Mary Lewisham
7. Edward baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1823, at St Mary Lewisham
8. Eliza Sarah baptised 9<sup>th</sup> January 1825, at St Mary Lewisham
9. **Leonard** baptised 9<sup>th</sup> January 1825, at St Mary Lewisham
10. Octavia baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1826, at St Mary Lewisham
11. Augusta Nora baptised 16<sup>th</sup> September 1828, at St Mary Lewisham

In 1841, at Lee House, Lee, Kent, Thomas Shuter, merchant, aged 55, his wife Sarah 50, children, Thomas, merchant aged 25, Fanny 20, John *surgeon?* merchant, aged 20, Leonard 15 and Octavia 14.

In 1851, at Hooley House, Coulsdon, Surrey, Thomas A Shuter, land owner, farmer 400 acres, aged 66, his wife Sarah F 60, and daughter Augusta N 22.

Thomas Allen Shuter died 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1860.

Sarah Frances Shuter died 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1870

**9. Leonard Shuter** married Caroline Warner 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1850 at St Mary, Lewisham.

Children of Leonard and Caroline Shuter:

Leonard Allen born 15<sup>th</sup> May 1852, baptised 24<sup>th</sup> June 1852, at St John The Baptist, Croydon.

Emmeline Caroline born 3<sup>rd</sup> November 1853, baptised 20<sup>th</sup> December 1853, at St John The Baptist, Croydon.

John baptised 29<sup>th</sup> March 1855, at St John The Baptist, Croydon.

Thomas Allen born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1856, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> November 1856, at St John The Baptist, Croydon.

Ethel Mary Valpy baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1858, at St James, Croydon.

Fanny Louise baptised 24<sup>th</sup> March 1860, at St James, Croydon

In 1851, at Collonade House, South Row, Simeon warner, landed proprietor aged 65, his wife Ann B aged 61,, children, Algernon, solicitor, aged 23, married daughter Caroline 25, and son in law, Leonard Shuter, cooper, aged 26.

In 1871, at Vale Mascal, North Cray, Kent, Leonard Shuter, timber merchant and cart manufacturer, aged 46, his wife Caroline 45, children, Leonard A 18, Caroline C 17, Ethel M 12, Fanny L 11, and nephew Charles P Shuter 20

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*NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership theretofore existing between us the undersigned, Leonard Shuter and William Joseph Littell, carrying on business at Shad Thames in the county of Surrey, as Coopers, under the style or firm of T. Allen, Shuter, and Company, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June, 1878.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1878.*

*Leonard Shuter.*

*William Joseph Littell*

In 1881, at Vale Mascal, North Cray, Kent, Leonard Shuter, stave timber merchant and cooper, aged 56, his wife Caroline 55, children, John stave timber merchant and cooper, aged 26, Ethel 22, and Fanny L 21.

Leonard Shuter was chosen as a Director of the Union Assurance Company in 1882-1888

In 1891, at 40 Addison Gardens, Hammersmith, Leonard Shuter, retired timber merchant, aged 66, his wife Caroline 65, and daughter Fanny 31.

In 1901, at 40 Addison Gardens, Hammersmith, Leonard Shuter, living on own means, aged 76, his wife Caroline 75, and daughter Fanny 41.

Caroline Shuter of 40 Addison Gardens, Kensington, Middlesex died 1<sup>st</sup> January 1905.

Leonard Shuter of 40 Addison Gardens, Kensington, Middlesex died 30<sup>th</sup> January 1907.



## ASSISTANTS TO THE COURT OF THE GOVERNOR AND COMPANY

### Richard Adams

Richard Adams was present at the first meeting of the Company 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, at the meeting of the 14<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was sworn in and elected Treasurer for the Company a post he held until the winding up of the Company in March 1696.

#### **6th March 1705 at Vernon's Coffee house LLC 1**

*The Court being informed that Mr Adams the late treasurer had closed all his accounts with the Company and desired from them a general release Ordered. That a general release be put under the Seal of this Company & delivered to the said Mr Adams upon his executing a general release to the Company, and the Common Seal was accordingly affixed to a general release in open Court and delivered to the said Dr Wright to be delivered to the said Mr Adams on the terms aforesaid.*

Richard Adams Goldsmith, of St Martins in the Fields, Middlesex, died in 1718

In his will dated 20<sup>th</sup> August 1718, probate 4<sup>th</sup> September 1718, he mentions his wife Martha, daughter Martha baptised 21<sup>st</sup> October 1685, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, and son Samuel baptised 17<sup>th</sup> October 1688, at St Martin-In-The-Fields.

Other children of Richard and Martha:

Grindon baptised 18<sup>th</sup> August 1681, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, buried 20<sup>th</sup> August 1881, at St Martin-In-The-Fields

Richard Grindon Adams baptised 24<sup>th</sup> October 1683, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1685, at St Martin-In-The-Fields.

### Henry Austin

Henry Austin was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants, 25<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he served until the winding up of the Company in March 1696.

### Francis Baker

Francis Baker was present at the first meeting of the Company 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 10<sup>th</sup> November 1692, he was also elected in 1693 but in October 1693 he was in arrears with his share payments, he was disfranchised for not paying the arrears on his shares January 1694.

**William Bawmer** sworn in as a member of the Company 25<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1692, he remained a member up until his death in 1695.  
William Bawmer, born about 1641 he married Mary Sheperton 29<sup>th</sup> September 1667, at St Dunstan in the West, London

Children of William and Mary Bawmer:

Francis born 19<sup>th</sup> November 1673, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1673, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, Westminster. Married Ann their son William baptised 9<sup>th</sup> April 1696 at St Martin in the Fields.

Ann born 1<sup>st</sup> March 1676, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> March 1676, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, Westminster.

Mary born 27<sup>th</sup> October 1680, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> November 1680, at St Martin-In-The-Fields, Westminster.

John

William

William Bawmer was buried 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1695, at St Andrew, Holborn, London.

In the Will of William Bulmer dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 1694, he only mentions his sons Francis, John, and William; appointed Richard Adams Company secretary one of his executors.

There is a record of William Bawmer, Joiners' Company Apprentice

*Apprenticeship 1691*

*Son of William Bawmer, Gentleman, of City of Westminster, Middlesex. Apprenticed to William Smith for 7 years, from 15 Sep 1691.*

*To be turned over to Robert Barrow Cit. & Tallow Chandler of London.*

### **Clerke Family Source: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Clement\\_Clerke](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Clement_Clerke)**

*Sir Clement Clerke helped introduce a major change in the metal industries about 1678 which was introducing the use of coal instead of wood products in smelting by using a reverberatory furnace known as a cupola. With cupolas, impurities in the coal did not get absorbed into the metal.*

*Lord Grandison and Robert Thorowgood provided the capital for Sir Clement Clerke, and Francis Nicholson to build cupolas (or reverberatory furnaces) in the Avon Gorge below Bristol in about 1678. Unfortunately when Clement Clerke went back for the rest of the capital, he found that Nicholson had taken it to Derbyshire and lost it.*

*In 1683, there was a complicated agreement to the effect that business should be carried on by Sir Clement's son Talbot, but he was not quite 21 years old so that the business had to be in the name of a trustee. The business was in fact profitable. Talbot sought to declare a dividend, but Lord Grandison and his fellow financier, Hon. Henry Howard demanded that they be repaid money that they said Sir Clement owed them. This led to litigation, the litigation was ultimately resolved in Talbot's favour*

*In 1687, while the lead cupola was out of their possession, Sir Clement and Talbot built a reverberatory furnace at Putney and smelted copper there. A patent was obtained for this in 1688. This led to the establishment of a copper smelting works close to the banks of the River Wye at Redbrook and the chartering of the English Copper Company.*

*With the conclusion of the litigation, the cupola near Bristol reverted to Talbot Clerke. The Company for Smelting down Lead with Pitcoal was chartered to run this, but this was not successful and returned to Talbot (by then Sir Talbot) in 1695.*

**Clement Clerke** baptised 8<sup>th</sup> October 1631 son of George and Barbera (daughter of Roger Palmer) Clerke.

Clement Clarke married Sarah/Catherine Talbot (daughter of George Talbot of Rudge, Shropshire)

Children of Clement and Sarah/Catherine Clerke:

**1. Talbot born about 1656**

2. Clement deputy Governor of the Isle of Wight unmarried

**3. George** born about 1658

Clement Clerke bought the Launde Abbey estate in Leicestershire in 1657/8

He was appointed Gentleman of the Privy Chamber to Charles II in 1661 and was created a Baronet in the same year.

Clement Clerke died 13<sup>th</sup> November 1693 at London, buried 10<sup>th</sup> December 1693, at North Cloister, Westminster Abbey

Sarah Clerke was buried 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1693, at North Cloister, Westminster Abbey

**1. Talbot Clerke** was elected to the Court of Assistants 18<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and remained a member of the Court of Assistants until the closure of the Company in 1696.

Talbot Clerke married Hannah Tilecote 17<sup>th</sup> March 1689, at the Savoy Chapel, London.

Children of Talbot and Hannah Clerke:

1a. Clement buried 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1715, at St Mary and All Saints, Chesterfield, Derbyshire

1b. Talbot born about 1694

1c. Thomas born 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1702, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> January at St Martin in the Fields, Westminster. Thomas died

1. Talbot Clerke died 1708 (possible burial 25<sup>th</sup> January 1708), died intestate administration 19<sup>th</sup> April 1708. Possible burial of Hannah Clerke 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1713.

1b. Talbot Clerke aged 22, married Barbara Gladwin aged 23 (daughter of Thomas Gladwin) 18<sup>th</sup> September 1716, at Chesterfield, Derby.

Children of Talbot and Barbara Clerke

1b/1. Talbot born 29<sup>th</sup> March 1718, baptised 10<sup>th</sup> April 1718, at St James, Westminster, he died whilst attending Westminster School, on 20<sup>th</sup> November 1732, buried at Westminster Abbey 25<sup>th</sup> November 1732.

1b/2. Barbara born 7<sup>th</sup> April 1719 at Chesterfield, Derbyshire, married Doctor William Coxo about June 1741.

1b. Talbot Clerke died/buried 16<sup>th</sup> Feb 1724, at Durrant Hall, Chesterfield. He died intestate and his estate was administered to his relict on 13 December 1725.

Dame Barbara Gladwin Clerke married John Monk Morgan of Chesterfield about 1726 (John Monk Morgan died 1774 aged about 100).

**3. George Clerke** was named as an Assistant in the Charter of Governor & Co. for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1692. He was

sworn in as a member of the Company 14<sup>th</sup> October 1692, (he remained a member of the Court of Assistants up to the closure of the Company in 1696)

George Clerke married Dorothy Pearse.

Children of George and Dorothy Pearse

3a. Talbot born 7<sup>th</sup> January 1693, baptised 18<sup>th</sup> January 1693, at St James, Westminster, he married Lucy Rogers 25<sup>th</sup> May 1717, at Hawkesbury, Gloucester, Talbot Clerke died 10<sup>th</sup> July 1759

3b. Dorothy married Phillip Jennings of the Inner Temple, London, widower 9<sup>th</sup> May 1720.

Dorothy died at Bath December 1769

**At the meeting of 4th October 1692** *“The Articles of agreement made between Talbot Clerke Esq and the subscribers before this Company’s Incorporation being read att the board itt fell under consideration; as allsoe what sum of monys should be att present raised on each share and after a long and serious debate ltt was referred to, to morrow in the afternoone.”*

**The minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> October 1692 record:** *“This board being acquainted that there were neere Bristol some very convenient lead workes all ready built fitt for the immediate smelting downe of lead with all things proper and belonging there unto and that they were in the possession of Talbot Clerke Esq. ( on whose art in the smelting downe of lead with pittcoale and seacoale, this Company’s patents of incorporation is grounded and who hath subscribed and is interested for himself and friends 500 shares) doe therefore resolve to buy and purchase the said works and having treated with the said Talbott Clerke Esq. doe this day agree. That for all his rights title and interest in and to the said works with all the utensils thereunto belonging and allow in consideration of his art and mystery of smelting down lead with pittcoale and seacoale and the assignments of several contracts he hath made with Thomas Summers, John Dunston or any others his servants imployed and instructed in the said art. This Company do agree to pay him the sum of nine thousand pounds in full for said works and art by giving him creditt for the said nine thousand”*

## **Matthias Cupper**

Matthias Cupper was sworn in as a member of the Company 19<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and elected to the Court of Assistants 10<sup>th</sup> November 1692, he served until the winding up of the Company in March 1696.

Matthew Cupper was buried 5<sup>th</sup> September 1708, at St Martin In The Fields, Westminster

## **Matthew/Mathias Fowler**

Matthew Fowler was sworn in as a member of the Company 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1692, and elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1692, he was disfranchised for not paying the arrears on his shares January 1694.

## **John Franke**

John Franke was present at the first meeting of the Company 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1692, he was also elected in 1693 but in October 1693 he was in arrears with his share payments, he was disfranchised for not paying the arrears on his shares January 1694.

## **Gabriel Glover**

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1692 at 4 in the afternoon.

Mr Gabriell Glover sworn a member

He was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1692 and served up until the end of company in 1696.

He had shares in the Bank of England. He also had shares in the South Sea Company which were unclaimed in February 1724.

Gabriel Glover (possible baptism 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1662, at St Martin Orgar and Saint Clement, London, parents Richard (Ironmonger) and Mary Glover) married Bridget Elson 26<sup>th</sup> September 1694 at Saint Paul, Covent Garden, Westminster.

Children of Gabriel and Bridget Glover:

Bridget baptised 9<sup>th</sup> June 1697

Mary baptised 5<sup>th</sup> June 1698 St Michael Cornhill, buried 17<sup>th</sup> April 1717, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham

Anne baptised 31<sup>st</sup> October 1700

Gabriel baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1701, buried 30<sup>th</sup> October 1706 out of town, recorded at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham

Sarah baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1702, buried 31<sup>st</sup> July 1703, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham

In the church of St Peter and Paul, Mitcham there is a memorial to Bridget Glover wife of Gabriel Glover, buried 1<sup>st</sup> December 1709

Gabriel Glover of Bath was buried 4<sup>th</sup> May 1724, at St Peter and Paul, Mitcham., Surrey.

## **Richard Goodall**

Richard Goodall, was sworn in as a member of the Company 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1692, and elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1692, he served until the winding up of the Company in March 1696. Died before 1705.

**John Henley** was named as an assistant in the Charter of Governor and Company for the Smelting down of Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1692, sworn in to the Company 14<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and served as a member of the Court of Assistants up until its winding up in March 1696.

**John Henley** of Abbots Wootton, Dorset, MP for Lyme Regis 1715-1722.

John Henley son of Sir Robert and Barbara (daughter John Avery) Henley of the Grange, Northington, Hampshire. He was educated at Winchester College and admitted to the Middle Temple January 1695.

John Henley married Hester Bagwell daughter of James Bagwell, they had one son Robert who was admitted to the Middle Temple April 1744

John Henley died 25<sup>th</sup> April 1732



**John Henley**

Source:<http://winchestercollections.co.uk/collection/attributed-to-enoch-seeman-1689-90-1744/>

**Captain Edward Le Neve** was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 1<sup>st</sup> November 1692, and remained a member up to 1696.

Captain Edward Leneve Of Soho Square, Deputy Searcher of Customs Port of London.

Edward Le Neve was born in the parish of St Bartholomew the Great, London.

Edward Le Neve married Elizabeth 9<sup>th</sup> February 1680, at Canterbury, Kent.

Children of Edward and Elizabeth Le Neve:

1. Michael born 31<sup>st</sup> January, baptised 7<sup>th</sup> February 1681, Captain Edward Le Neve and his wife Elizabeth. Michael died in Maryland USA in 1707.  
*Michael Le Neve, late in Maryland, bachelor. Administration 3 September 1707 to his father Edward Le Neve, Esquire.*
2. Charles born 8<sup>th</sup> April 1682, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> April 1682 at St Swithins, London, son of Capt Edward Le Neve. *Not mentioned in his fathers will of 6<sup>th</sup> March 1715, possible burial 14<sup>th</sup> August 1693*
3. Edward Le Neve born 9<sup>th</sup> May 1693, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> May 1693 at St Anne, Soho, Westminster. *Edward Leneve Junior married Henrietta Le Neve at St Paul's Cathedral 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1718, Henrietta died in July 1740, he married Mary Leneve 15<sup>th</sup> November 1743, at St Anns, Westminster. Possible burial of Edward 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1773*
4. Robert born 21<sup>st</sup> December 1694, baptised 30<sup>th</sup> December 1694, at St Ann, Soho. *Not mentioned in his fathers will of 6<sup>th</sup> March 1715.*
5. Elizabeth born? married Colonel Richard Morley 24<sup>th</sup> August 1714, at St James, Paddington.

Edward Le Neve buried 30<sup>th</sup> August 1719, at St Anne, Soho

Elizabeth Le Neve buried 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1723, at St Anne, Soho

### **Sir Henry Marwood M.P. for Northalerton**

The Court Minutes of 14<sup>th</sup> October 1692 report that Sir Henry Marwood was sworn in as a member and Assistant he remained a member of the Court and attended the first meeting of the new company on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, after which he sold all his shares in the company.

Sir Henry Marwood was a landowner he served as High Sheriff of Yorkshire in 1674, and Member of Parliament for Northallerton from 1685 to 1688

Sir George Marwood married Lady Francis Bethell 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1627, at Aline, Yorkshire. Their son Henry was born about 1635 at Busby Hall, Stokesley, Yorkshire.

Henry first married Margaret Darcy 19<sup>th</sup> May 1658 the daughter of the Earl of Holderness at Hornby Castle in 1658 who died two years later, buried 18<sup>th</sup> June 1660 at Stokesley.

Children of Henry and Margaret Marwood:

1. Margaret buried 8<sup>th</sup> June 1660, at St Peter & Paul, Stokesley

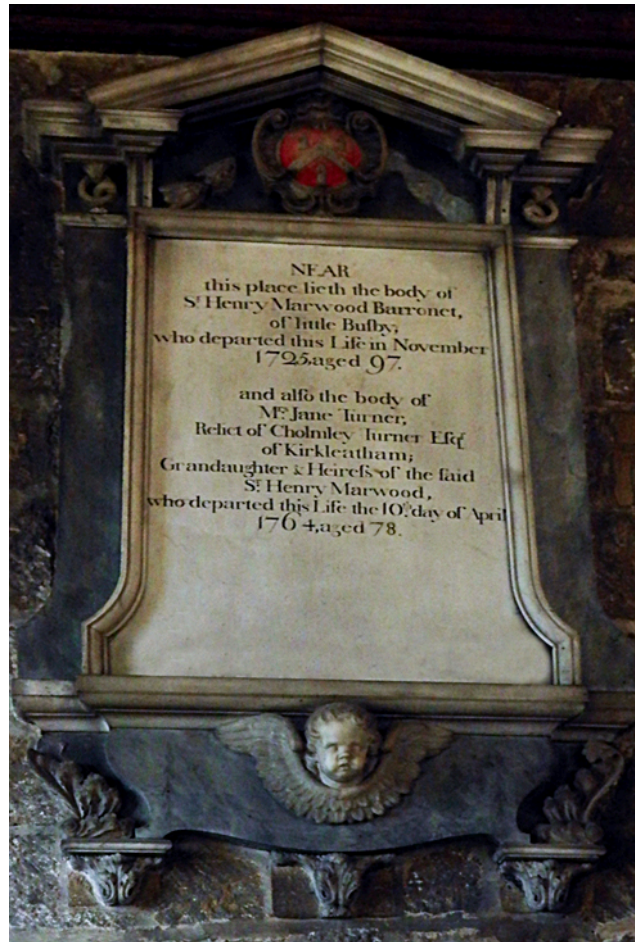
Henry Marwood married Dorothy Bellingham of Levens, Westmorland, marriage bond dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 1663, married 6<sup>th</sup> July 1663, Heversham, Westmorland.

Children of Henry and Dorothy Marwood:

1. George Henry baptised 27<sup>th</sup> July 1665, at Stokesley, married Constance Spencer, 8<sup>th</sup> June 1687, at Canterbury, Kent, George was buried 12<sup>th</sup> November 1700, had a daughter Jane born about 1688. Jane married Cholmley Turner. Constance Marwood was buried 4<sup>th</sup> August 1691 at Stokesley



2. Elizabeth baptised 7<sup>th</sup> March 1667, at Stokesley, married John Pierce, she died 25<sup>th</sup> March 1726, buried at St Gregory Churchyard, Bedale, Yorkshire
3. Agnes baptised 26<sup>th</sup> May 1668, at Stokesley, died 7<sup>th</sup> August 1668, buried at St Peter and Paul Churchyard, Stokesley



**St Peter and Paul, Stokesley**

Dorothy Marwood died 1678

His third and final wife was Martha, daughter of Sir Thomas Wentworth of Elmsall, Yorkshire, widow of Thomas Wombwell (Thomas Wombwell buried 10<sup>th</sup> August 1690) of Wombwell, Yorkshire

Sir Henry Marwood died 1<sup>st</sup> November 1725, buried at Stokesley 6<sup>th</sup> November 1725

## **Moore Family**

Sir John Moore (11<sup>th</sup> June 1620 to 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1702), who was Lord Mayor of London 1681-2, Member of Parliament for the City of London 1685-1687, Lead Merchant East India Merchant; director of the Royal Africa Company<sup>4</sup>. Sir John Moore had no children.

<sup>4</sup> <https://reclaimec1.wordpress.com/2020/11/24/the-city-of-london-the-slave-trade-part-3/>



Charles Moore. land owner, brother of Sir John Moore, married Rebecca Mould

Children of Charles and Rebecca Moore

1. Rebecca baptised 25<sup>th</sup> July 1644, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire.
  2. Thomas baptised 18<sup>th</sup> April 1647, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire. Wife Mary he died 1725
  3. **John** baptised 29<sup>th</sup> July 1649, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire. He inherited £14000 from his Uncle Sir John Moore
  4. Charles baptised 16<sup>th</sup> May 1651 at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire. Rev. Charles Moore married Elizabeth Bailey. died 1726
  5. **George** baptised 4<sup>th</sup> February 1654, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire.– buried 24<sup>th</sup> July 1732. *See Deputy Governors.*
  6. Mary, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> January 1656, married Samuel Short. *See Deputy Governors*
  7. **William** baptised 20<sup>th</sup> August 1659, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire. died 1697
  8. Daniel baptised 13<sup>th</sup> July 1662, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire.
  9. Jonathan baptised 17<sup>th</sup> September 1665, at Appleby Magna, Leicestershire.
- Rebecca Moore was buried 4<sup>th</sup> April 1696, at Appleby Magna.  
Charles Moore was buried 27<sup>th</sup> June 1700, at Appleby Magna.

**3. John Moore** was mentioned in the Charter as a Merchant. John Moore was present at the first meeting of the Company on 13<sup>th</sup> October 1692, held at the Halfe Moone Taverne in Cheapside. John Moore (fish monger) served on the Court of Assistants until the closure of the Company in 1696.

John married and had two children, John born about 1688 (died 1712 aged 24), and Mary born about 1684, both mentioned in his Will.

John Moore was buried 11<sup>th</sup> March 1703, at St Marys, Whitechapel, will dated 26<sup>th</sup> January 1703/4, probate 20<sup>th</sup> April 1704.

**7. William Moore** was elected to the Court of Assistants October 1692, he served until the closure of the Company in 1696.

William Moore, Wharfinger, in his will dated 16<sup>th</sup> September 1697, he left all of his property to his brother John Moore, fishmonger of London (probate 30<sup>th</sup> September 1697).

**Thomas Nix** was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 19<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and remained a member up to 1696. He attended the first meeting of the new company on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, after which he sold all his shares in the company.

Captain Thomas Nix married Mary Gilbert 1<sup>st</sup> September 1681, at Holy Trinity, Knightsbridge.

Mary Gilbert was the sister of Elizabeth Gilbert who married Thomas Renda on the 4<sup>th</sup> September 1681 at Holy Trinity, Knightsbridge.

Thomas Nix of Chantry Lane Middlesex, died about 1710, his will was dated 13<sup>th</sup> June 1698, probate 9<sup>th</sup> May 1710 to Mary his wife. No children are mentioned in his will.

Mary Nix of Bere Court, Pangbourne, Berkshire, died about 1726, she was buried at the Church of Petersfield, Hampshire, with her husband Thomas.

Her will was dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1725, probate 25<sup>th</sup> August 1726.

People mentioned in her will:

Richard Bigg of Bere Court, Pangbourne had married Ann the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Renda.

Elizabeth Cottingham the daughter of Richard and Ann Bigg, she had married John Cottingham, Elizabeth was named as executor.

Sister Jane Broadhurst (Jane Gilbert married Paul Broadhurst, 26<sup>th</sup> April 1702 at St Brides Church, Fleet Street.

**Francis Parry** was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 19<sup>th</sup> October 1692 and remained a member up until the closure of the Company in 1696.

#### **Francis Parry married Katherine Pearce**

Children Of Francis and Katherine Parry:

1. Charles born 15<sup>th</sup> October 1679 at Lisbon, Portugal. Charles Parry married Marie Charlotte Chardin daughter of Sir John Chardin (Court Jeweller to Charles 2<sup>nd</sup>, and travel writer) she was buried 18<sup>th</sup> December 1735, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer. Charles was buried 6<sup>th</sup> June 1740 at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer.

2. Elizabeth born about 1680

3. Francis born Portugal 1683, buried 16<sup>th</sup> February 1721, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

4. George born about 1685, buried 5<sup>th</sup> June 1768, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

5. William baptised 30<sup>th</sup> November 1686, at St Peter the Poor, City of London, died 6<sup>th</sup> February 1753, buried 15<sup>th</sup> February 1753, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

6. Peter born 17<sup>th</sup> January 1689, baptised 29<sup>th</sup> January 1689, at St James, Westminster, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1707, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

7. Catherine born 15<sup>th</sup> April 1695, baptised at St James, Westminster 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1695, she married Henry Powlett 4<sup>th</sup> Duke of Bolton, she died 25<sup>th</sup> April 1744

Francis Parry was living at Broad Street, City of London in 1692

Katherine Parry was buried 1<sup>st</sup> June 1697, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

Francis Parry was buried 8<sup>th</sup> December 1702, at St Mary, Stratfield Mortimer

Francis Parry, Envoy Extraordinary at the Court of Portugal, 1668 up to 1680 and Commissioner of excise 1683 to October 1689 salary £1000 per annum

**Extract from the Will dated 30<sup>th</sup> July 1700 of Francis Parry**, of Oakfield, in Mortimer, Berkshire

*"To be buried in the parish church of Mortimer, near my wife. My estate at Oakfield, parishes of Stratfield Mortimer, Shinfield & Michills, Berkshire, with the manor house & contents. & my whole estate in Burfield, Berks., to my son Charles, ... To my son Francis, all my books of Divinity, other books to my son Charles my houses in St.*

*James' Place, St. James, Westminster, & my interest in the Copper Mills at Micham, Surrey, to be sold for payment of debts. To my son Charles, all my interest in the Corporation of Copper Miners, and my interest in the Copper works at Lower Redbrook, Glouc, and in the patent for making copper halfpence and farthings, and also monies due to me from Mr. John Sowter & Mr. Samuel Davies, and Sir Talbot Clerke. To my daughter Elizabeth Parry, £80 a year, and £1500 for her portion. To my daughter Catherine Parry, £30 a year till 12, then £50 a year & £1500 for portion at marriage, 2 great diamond rings, &c. To Sons Francis, George, William & Peter, annuities of £40 & £100 each at 21. Dated 30 July 1700; probate 12 Dec. 1702."*

## **Thomas Renda**

Thomas Renda, lessee of Wallingford Castle. MP for Wallingford, Berkshire. was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 18<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and remained a member up to 1696. He attended the first meeting of the new company on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, after which he sold all his shares in the company.

Thomas Renda married Elizabeth Gilbert 4<sup>th</sup> September 1681, at Holy Trinity, Knightsbridge, Westminster.

Children of Thomas and Elizabeth Renda:

Ann baptised 4<sup>th</sup> March 1683 at St Andrew, Holborn, London, married Richard Bigg of Wallingford,

Ann Bigg was buried 9<sup>th</sup> January 1712, at St Mary, Wallingford.

Richard Bigg MP., died about 1730, his will of November 1730 placed most of his estates in trust for the benefit of his only daughter Elizabeth.

Ann and Richard Bigg had one child:

Elizabeth she married John Cottingham (John Cottingham died 4<sup>th</sup> November 1746, Elizabeth Cottingham buried 1<sup>st</sup> December 1747

Thomas Renda married Sarah Ley 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1711, at St Katherine by the Tower, London.

Thomas Renda died 15<sup>th</sup> March 1722, aged 62, buried at St Mary Wallingford, his Will of 25<sup>th</sup> July 1714, probate 5<sup>th</sup> April 1723, left his property to his granddaughter Elizabeth Bigg, and his wife.

Sarah Renda was buried 24<sup>th</sup> September 1752 at St Mary, Wallingford, Berkshire.

## **Francis Scobell**

The Court Minutes of Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November 1692 record that "Francis Scobell Esq., sworn a member and having accepted 10 shares from Talbot Clerke Esq was by majority of votes chose an Assistant."

He remained a member of the Court of Assistants until 1696.

Richard Scobell (baptised 19<sup>th</sup> February 1633) of Polrudden, Cornwall, married Barbara Carlyon (father Henry Carlyon) 24<sup>th</sup> April 1660.

Children of Richard and Barbara Scobell:

1. Henry buried 10<sup>th</sup> August 1721
2. Francis baptised 24<sup>th</sup> August 1664
3. Mary married Philip Hawkins attorney at law
4. Barbara baptised 21<sup>st</sup> March 1669, married Henry Hawkins attorney at law

Richard Scobell was buried 6<sup>th</sup> March 1707.

Barbara Scobell buried 16<sup>th</sup> March 1713.

Francis Scobell married Mary Tredenham daughter of Sir Joseph Tredenham

Children of Francis and Mary Scobell:

Richard baptised 4<sup>th</sup> November 1710 buried 1712

Francis baptised 14<sup>th</sup> August 1715, died 26<sup>th</sup> November 1740

Elizabeth

Mary baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1712, buried November 1714

Mary Scobell was buried 26<sup>th</sup> August 1742 All Saints Churchyard, St Ewe, Cornwall

Francis Scobell died 20<sup>th</sup> September 1740, buried at All Saints Churchyard, St Ewe, Cornwall

Francis Scobell was a member of the Middle Temple and called to the Bar in 1688.

He was a member of parliament, for Cornish constituencies.

**Constituency dates:**

Mitchell	1690 - 1695
Grampound	16 Jan. 1699 - 1708
St. Germans	1708 - 1710
Launceston	1710 - 1713
St. Mawes	1713 - 1715

Source: <http://www.historyofparliamentonline.org/volume/1690-1715/member/scobell-francis-1664-1740>

**Offices Held:**

Member of the Commission of public accounts. 1702–14;

Receiver-general for the duchy of Cornwall 1712–14

Member of the old Cornish Stannary Parliament 1710 – 1714

Captain of the Castle of St Mawes 1710 – 1714

Francis Scobell and Henry Vincent in June 1697 obtained an exclusive 31-year patent to prospect for copper mines on duchy lands despite opposition from the Copper Miners' Company of England.

Francis Scobell later applied on 20 May 1724 for patent No. 467 for 'Waterwheel for Raising Water and Working Mills etc.

## Henry Tate

Henry Tate first elected to the Court of Assistants October 1692, he served until the closure of the Company in 1696

Henry Tate of Burleigh Park, Loughborough, Leicestershire, High Sheriff of Leicestershire in 1712, he had attempted to become a member of parliament but without success.

Partner in the Hour Glass Brewery, London, and New East India company

Henry Tate son of Anthony and Bridget Tate, born about 1653.

Henry Tate married Lucy Hacker 9<sup>th</sup> July 1685, at Saint Katherine Cree, London.

Children of Henry and Lucy Tate:

1. George baptised 29<sup>th</sup> August 1689, at All Gallows The Great, London, died 1693 or 1697, buried at Hoby, Leicestershire.
2. William baptised 24<sup>th</sup> August 1692, at All Gallows The Great, London. died unmarried 17<sup>th</sup> December 1722
3. Anthony baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1696, at All Gallows The Great, London, buried at Sadwell church, 19<sup>th</sup> June 1700, recorded in the records of All Gallows The Great, London.

Lucy Tate died 17<sup>th</sup> June 1722

Henry Tate died 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1722

## **Constantine Vernatti**

Constantine Vernatti was named as an assistant in the Charter of Governor and Company for the Smelting down of Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, dated 4<sup>th</sup> October 1692, and served as a member of the Court of Assistants up until its winding up in March 1696.

Constantine Vernatti was named as an Assistant to the Court of the Governor and Company of Copper Miners Charter, incorporated by Charter 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1691  
His occupation in his will was given as Merchant, he also was a Trustee of the Million Bank.

Constantine Vernatti took the oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy in order to be Naturalised 19<sup>th</sup> November 1667

Johan Vernatti merchant, (Son Of Gabriel Vernatti, merchant & banker) born 1595 Delft, Netherlands, married Sara Van Gheel of Amsterdam, 8<sup>th</sup> March 1620, at Delft.

Children of Johan and Sara Vernatti:

Adriana baptised 18<sup>th</sup> July 1621, at Amsterdam

Gabriel baptised 11<sup>th</sup> September 1622, at Amsterdam

Joannes baptised 15<sup>th</sup> September 1624, at Amsterdam

**Constantine** born about 1626, at Amsterdam Netherlands

Sara baptised 7<sup>th</sup> June 1628, at Leiden

Adriana baptised 11<sup>th</sup> March 1631, at Delft

Philibert baptised 6<sup>th</sup> February 1633, at Delft

Johan Vernatti died 5<sup>th</sup> August 1637, at Delft

Sarah Vernatti was buried 1<sup>st</sup> November 1678, at St Mary, Stratford Bow, London aged 79.

The Vernatti family had been involved in the draining of the Norfolk Fens.

**Constantine Vernatti** married Mary Took daughter of Edmund Took, 27<sup>th</sup> March 1678 at All Hallows Tottenham.

Children of Constantine and Mary Vernatti :

Constantine baptised 26<sup>th</sup> January 1679, at St Mary, Strarford Bow, Middlesex, buried at St John Hackney 5<sup>th</sup> January 1700

Anna Margareta born 1684 married Francis Edwards of Welham Grove, 12<sup>th</sup> July 1704, at Christ Church, Newgate Street, London.

Francis Edwards buried 9<sup>th</sup> February 1728 aged 61, at St Andrews Welham, Leicestershire.

Anna Margareta Edwards died 19<sup>th</sup> March 1765 at Hackney, buried at St John, Hackney

Constantine Vernatti was buried 13<sup>th</sup> May 1703 at St John, Hackney

Will of Constantine Vernatti dated 28<sup>th</sup> April 1703, Probate 30<sup>th</sup> May 1703

1703. Constantine Vernatti, of Hackney, merchant, left £10,000 to his daughter Anna Margareta should she marry with her mother's consent. Lands in Kent, at Hartford and elsewhere, and at Hackney, to Mary, his widow and sole executrix.

Mary Vernatti remarried Mr Shepard Will dated 18<sup>th</sup> October 1726.

Mary Vernatti Shepard died 1727 and buried in a vault under her pew at St John, Hackney, probate 7<sup>th</sup> March 1727/8



**Constantine Vernatti**

Portrait by Gerard van Honthorst dated 1649

Source: [rkd.nl/nl/explore/images/128240](http://rkd.nl/nl/explore/images/128240)

## The Million Bank

### Source National Archives

*The Bank on Tickets of the Million Adventure' or Million Bank was founded in 1695 to invest in the 1694 Million Lottery Loan and to act as a bank. However, the company withdrew from banking in 1696 and thereafter concentrated on investment in annuities. The company's strategy was to use the profit it made (consisting of the difference between the thirteen per cent return it received from discounted Million lottery shares and the smaller dividend that was paid out to its stockholders) to buy the reversion of single life annuities issued by the government in 1693 and 1694. In this way an investment in the Million Lottery Loan, which was terminable after sixteen years, was converted into a long-term investment, the hoped-for securing of which was the reason Million Bank investors had been prepared to sell their lottery shares to the company at a loss in the first place.*

*The purchase of life annuity reversions, which by the time they were bought could be converted into ninety-five year annuities (calculated from 1694) on the payment of additional sums, gave the bank its long-term security. Until 1728 five per cent dividends were paid; thereafter four per cent were disbursed. By 1796 all the original annuities had expired, and except for the receipt of dividends from its investment in government and other stocks (built up with the proceeds of its sinking-fund over the years), and the distribution of these to its members, there was no longer any reason for the bank to continue.*

*Accordingly, by the Million Bank Act of 1796 the company was wound up and the assets (which by successful management considerably exceeded the original capital) were divided amongst its stockholders. The act transferred the unclaimed balance of funds to the accountant general of the court of Chancery and the records of the bank to the six clerks of Chancery.*



**Johan Vernatti (1595-1637)**

Painted 1629 by M.J. van Miereveld

(Museum: Cultural Heritage Agency of the Netherlands Art Collection)

Source: [www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q28060980](http://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q28060980)



## **John Barkstead**

John Barkstead was sworn in as a member of the Court of Assistants 25<sup>th</sup> October 1692, he was also elected to serve in the year 1693, but in June 1693 he made it known he wished to leave the Company, he was disfranchised for not paying the arrears on his shares January 1694.

John Barkstead of Kent, died about 1694, his will dated 28<sup>th</sup> March 1694.

## **John Clarke**

John Clarke first attended a Company meeting 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705 and was elected to the Court of Assistants at that meeting having taken the oath.

At the meeting of the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> May 1705

*Then the Court proceeded to take into consideration the want of a Messenger to attend the service of this Corporation and the question being put whether such an Officer should be now chosen. It was carried in ye affirmation.*

*Then John Clarke was proposed to the Board to serve the Company as their messenger, and after some debate he was called in, and Mr Governor informed him of the nature of a messengers Office, and what would be expected from him. Viz<sup>t</sup>.*

*To attend the General Courts & Courts of Assistants, and to carry out & deliver the summonses for the same so often as there shall be occasion, And to do & perform all such other matters services & things as appertain to and are proper for such an officer to do & perform. To which he agreed, & proposed to serve the company for a salary of ten pounds per annum, and then withdrew.*

*“The questions being severally put that John Clarke be the said messenger, and allowed a salary of ten pounds per annum for such service. It was, Resolved in the affirmative upon which he was again called in, and Mr Governor acquainted him with the said resolution, & he was thereupon accordingly declared to be the messenger of this Corporation, & took the oath of fidelity as such before the Governor in Open Court.”*

Following this decision John Clarke no longer served on the Court of Assistants.

**Thomas Cooper** was a member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper from at least November 1697. He was admitted to the LLC 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705, and elected to the Court of Assistants, he served until his death in 1716.

Thomas Cooper Merchant Tailor, of White Chapel died 28<sup>th</sup> January 1716, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1716, aged 78, buried at Bunhill Fields.

**Christopher Crell** took the declaration instead of an oath 11<sup>th</sup> December 1705 to become a member of the Company, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1705 continued to serve up until his death in 1711. Probate 31<sup>st</sup> January 1711.



**Christopher Crell (Spinowski)** M.D. — A Pole, and a doctor of medicine of Leyden of 6<sup>th</sup> July, 1682 ; was admitted a Licentiate of the College of Physicians 2nd April, 1683.

His wife Elizabeth was the sole executor of his will.

Living in the Parish of St John the Baptist, Dowgate, London at the time of his death in January 1711.

A member of the Polish Unitarian Church, his father was a Unitarian theologian and Pastor.

Family mentioned in his will dated 1<sup>st</sup> December 1710

Brother Samuel a minister, living in Brandenburg

Sister Dorothy living in Prussia

Sister Ann living in Edmonton

Brother Paul living in Ryegate, Kent.

### **Peter De Lannoy**

Peter De Lannoy was member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper from at least 1697, he was the treasurer until June 1698 when Edward Wright took over the role. He was elected Chairman of the Company 6<sup>th</sup> April 1703, replacing William Monson, he was replaced as Chairman by Urban Hall 4<sup>th</sup> April 1704. He was sworn in as a member of the LLC Court of Assistants 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, he was last elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1711.

The Company record show that in January 1722 Peter De Lannoy had 14 shares and Sarah De Lannoy had 2 shares in July 1722, Peter had 9 shares and Sarah 2 shares. In January 1723, Sarah De Lannoy had 3 shares and Ann De Lannoy had 3 shares, they were listed as shareholders up until January 1726.

Peter De Lannoy (a Dyer) senior married Ann Moore 6<sup>th</sup> June 1633, at St Mary, Battersea.

Peter De Lannoy senior buried 18<sup>th</sup> November 1675, at St Olave, Bermondsey, probate of his will 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1675, his wife Ann probate of her will 16<sup>th</sup> October 1689

**Peter de Lannoy** son of Peter and Ann, was baptism 20<sup>th</sup> August 1650, St Margaret, Lee, Kent.

Peter De Lannoy (a Dyer) married Mary Hayes 6<sup>th</sup> February 1674; Mary died before 1677.

Peter D Lannoy married Sarah Hester 9<sup>th</sup> July 1677.

#### **Children of Peter and Sarah De Lannoy:**

1. Peter possible born?, admitted to the Middle Temple 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1693, he wrote his will 19<sup>th</sup> January 1698 as he was to take a ship to the East Indies, Probate of his will was granted 27<sup>th</sup> August 1701
2. Samuel baptised 15<sup>th</sup> September 1686, at St Margaret, Lee, Kent
3. Ann baptised 1<sup>st</sup> September 1697, at St Margaret, Lee, Kent
4. William baptised 31<sup>st</sup> January 1699, at St Margaret, Lee, Kent, buried 24<sup>th</sup> June 1704
5. John indentured to Edward Puleston of London Mariner, 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1718
6. Samuel born 10<sup>th</sup> December 1700

Peter De Lannoy was also a member of the Court of Governors of St Thomas Hospital, Southwark

**Peter de Lannoy Esq died about 1722**

A Sarah De Lannoy married Jenkin Lewis 14th April 1724 at All Hallows, London

**Jacob Franklyn**

Jacob Franklyn elected to the Court of Assistants 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705 and continued until his death about 1710 (last elected 5<sup>th</sup> January 1710)

Jacob Franklin, Vintner, son of John Franklin, Vintner of Whitechapel deceased married Mary Hinde daughter of Samuel Hinde, Merchant Tailor of London deceased, 11<sup>th</sup> November 1686, at Devonshire House (Quaker marriage).

Children of Jacob and Mary Franklyn

Mary married Arthur Jepson vintner, 27<sup>th</sup> February 1710

Jacob died 14<sup>th</sup> June 1693, aged 20 months, cause consumption and teeth

Anna Mariah born about 1692, died 14<sup>th</sup> November 1703, aged 11 years

John born about 1695, died 16<sup>th</sup> July 1700 aged 4½ years of smallpox

Sarah born 17<sup>th</sup> December 1696, at Cornhill, London

Anne born about 1700, died 16<sup>th</sup> March 1711 aged 11.

Thomas named in his will

Jacob possible birth about 1702, named in his will

Jacob Franklyn died about 1709, his will was dated 20<sup>th</sup> March 1709, probate 9<sup>th</sup> May 1710 the executors named were Mary Franklyn his wife and Edward Wright.

**John Haddon**

John Haddon was member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper in March 1698, he signed the declaration and was admitted as a member of the LLC 13<sup>th</sup> February 1705 and elected to the Court of Assistants the same day. He served as a member of the Court of Assistants up to his death in 1724.

John Haddon was a Blacksmith and Anchor maker, of Southwark. In 1698 he bought a plantation of five hundred acres in what was "West Jersey" North America.

John Haddon married Elizabeth Clarke 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1676 at Horselydown, Southwark.

Children:

William born 29<sup>th</sup> April 1677

Elizabeth born 25<sup>th</sup> July 1680, married John Estaugh December 1702 a quaker, preacher, and agent for the Pennsylvania Land Company in America; they had no children.

Mary buried 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1681 aged 2½ years died of smallpox

Mary born about 1682, died of smallpox, buried 28<sup>th</sup> January 1687, aged 5

Sarah died 7<sup>th</sup> July 1685, aged about 15 weeks

Ebenezer born 7<sup>th</sup> September 1686, died 7<sup>th</sup> December 1686

Sarah born 9<sup>th</sup> December 1687, married Benjamin Hopkins, Vintner 29<sup>th</sup> August 1706, they had a son who was brought up in America by her sister Elizabeth and John Estaugh.

Elizabeth Haddon wife of John Haddon, of the Parish of St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, died 16<sup>th</sup> June 1723, aged 73.

John Haddon blacksmith, of the parish of St George in Southwark, died 13<sup>th</sup> May 1724, aged about 70, will dated 16<sup>th</sup> July 1723, probate 20<sup>th</sup> May 1724,

## **Thomas Kirby**

Thomas Kirby took the oath to become a member of the Company on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705, on the same day he was elected to the Court of Assistants. He served on the Court of Assistants for only this first year but remained a shareholder until his death in 1724 (he held 84 shares).

He had a share in a leadworks near Holywell in Wales at the time of his death which he bequeaths to his grandson Thomas Barker. (Anthony Barker (chief agent) and Thomas Barker were Agents for the Company in Wales)

Thomas Kirby born 4<sup>th</sup> April 1659, baptised 7<sup>th</sup> April 1659, at St James, Clerkenwell, son of Robert and Mary Kirby.

Thomas Kirby married Ann.

### **Children of Thomas and Ann Kirby:**

Ann born 1678? married Anthony Barker 18<sup>th</sup> February 1694, at St Michael, Bassishaw, London.

Elizabeth, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> July 1680, at St Andrew, Holborn married Joshua Price 9<sup>th</sup> April 1705, at St Andrew, Holborn.

Sarah, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> March 1684, at St Andrew, Holborn, buried 30<sup>th</sup> September 1698, at St Andrew, Holborn

Richard baptised 20<sup>th</sup> March 1686 at St Andrew, Holborn, married Susanna about 1714

Thomas baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1692, at St Andrew, Holborn

Thomas Kirby Joiner, buried 9<sup>th</sup> October 1724, at St Andrew, Holborn, probate 21<sup>st</sup> October 1724

## **Edward Leeds**

Took the oath to join the Company 17<sup>th</sup> July 1705, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1705 and served on the Court of Assistants until his death in 1729, at the time of his death he had 200 shares in the Company, his son had 40 shares and daughter Elizabeth 10 shares. In his Will he gave 40 shares in the Lead Company to his son Edward, 50 shares to his daughter Elizabeth and 10 shares to his nephew Edward.

Edward Leeds merchant (mercator, a dealer in textile and fine cloth) son of Edward Leeds, a vintner of London, baptised 16<sup>th</sup> October 1664 at St Michael Paternoster Royal, City of London.

Edward Leeds married Elizabeth Woolley 13<sup>th</sup> May 1691 at St Katherine Coleman, City of London.

Children of Edward and Elizabeth Leeds:

1. Sarah born 6<sup>th</sup> April 1692, baptised at Saint Faith Under Saint Paul, London died 31<sup>st</sup> March 1699
2. **Edward** born 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1693, baptised 6<sup>th</sup> March 1693 at Saint Faith Under Saint Paul, London.
3. John born 28<sup>th</sup> January 1695 baptised at Saint Faith Under Saint Paul, London died before 1729
4. Elizabeth baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1698, at Saint Faith Under Saint Paul, London
5. Adam born 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1700, baptised at Saint Faith Under Saint Paul, London, buried 7<sup>th</sup> October 1704, at St Faith Under St Paul, City of London.

Elizabeth Leeds buried 9<sup>th</sup> March 1719, in the vault of St Stephen, Walbrook, City of London

Edward Leeds buried 19<sup>th</sup> November 1729, in the vault of St Stephen, Walbrook, City of London. His Will was dated 4<sup>th</sup> July 1716, with a codicil 20<sup>th</sup> August 1728.

## 2. Edward Leeds jnr.

Edward Leeds jnr. was first elected to the Court of assistants January 1721, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730.

Edward Leeds was admitted to the Inner Temple 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1710, and called to the Bar 29<sup>th</sup> June 1718, and became Serjeant at Law in 1748, he retired from practice in 1755.

Edward Leeds married Anne Collett daughter of Joseph Collett (formerly governor of Fort St George) 6<sup>th</sup> October 1719, at All Hallows, City of London.

Children of Edward and Anne Leeds:

1. April 1721 Edward returned to London due to the death of a child, he had been inspecting the Company works in Wales & Derbyshire
2. Josephina baptised 29<sup>th</sup> August 1724, at St Clement Danes, Westminster
3. Henrietta, baptised 18<sup>th</sup> February 1725, at St Clement Danes, Westminster, married John Howard 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1758, at Croxton, she died 31<sup>st</sup> March 1765 aged 39.
4. Ann baptised 19<sup>th</sup> March 1726, at St Martin In The Fields, Westminster, married John Barnardiston 31<sup>st</sup> May 1754, at Croxton, Cambridge
5. Edward baptised 20<sup>th</sup> December 1728, at St Clement Danes, Westminster, he entered the Inner Temple 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1748, and called to the Bar 1768, made Master of Chancery 21<sup>st</sup> January 1773, he died unmarried 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1803 aged 74.
6. Joseph baptised 17<sup>th</sup> August 1730, at St James, Croxton, Cambridge, died 10<sup>th</sup> September 1808. Son George William Leeds born about 1773.

Edward Leeds jnr. died 5<sup>th</sup> December 1758, he was buried at St James, Croxton 8<sup>th</sup> December 1758.

## Richard Matthew

Richard Matthews (Factor, Raistrick gives his occupation as Goldsmith<sup>5</sup>) was listed as a member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper in November 1697, and he served until at least August 1704, he attended the meeting of the LLC 10<sup>th</sup> February 1705 when he took the oath and was elected to the Court of Assistants, he was last elected to the Court in 7<sup>th</sup> January 1707.

Richard Matthew was buried 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1707 next to his last wife at St Michael Bassishaw, London, his Will was dated 9<sup>th</sup> November 1706 Probate 30<sup>th</sup> October 1707, the only family mentioned is his daughter Mary (baptised 11<sup>th</sup> January 1683 at St Michael Bassishaw, City of London) who married Samuel Beachcroft (See Deputy Governors).

## Edward Wright

Edward Wright was a member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper from at least November 1697 to its amalgamation with the LLC in 1705. He was appointed treasurer of this Company from June 1698 (replacing Peter de Lannoy who was to busy with other matters to continue).

The minutes of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper of the 4th April 1704 give the results of the election of the committee for the year ensuing.

Urban Hall Esq Chairman

Dr Edward Wright treasurer

Committee members

Peter de Lannoy Esq	Mr Thomas Cooper
Mr Richard Matthews	Mr John Haddon
Mr Cornelius Mason	Mr James Taylor
Mr Jacob Franklin	Mr Nathaniel Matson
Mr Michael Russell	Mr Enoch Floyd

Edward Wright was a member of the Court of Assistants from the renewal of the Company in 1705, up until his death in 1728, he also acted as Company Treasurer.

## 24th May 1720 LLC 4

*The Court took into consideration the proposition made by Dr Wright for his past services to the Company as Treasurer for about fifteen years and some years in the Copper society in all near twenty years. For which time all receipts & payments have been made by him, all the sales of lead and importing of Bullion in to the Mint and receiving out all coin, all which has amounted to a very great sum besides all the other services by him done and great pains taken to the great benefit of the members of the Company, as is well known to most of them for which at a very small commission or salary a great sum would accrue to him than what he has proposed Viz thirty of the Company's shares & therefore it was resolved.*

*Resolved.*

*That Dr Wright have immediate credit for thirty of the Company's reserve shares.*

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<sup>5</sup> Quakers in Science and Industry, Arthur Raistrick 1950. Facsimile printed 1993, pp170

### **23rd January 1728 LLC 5**

*It was unanimously agreed by the Court of Assistants to request Mr James Creed to accept the trust & office of treasurer (in the room of Dr Edward Wright who through indisposition of body was obliged to decline it) and upon their application to him he consented and agreed to take upon him the trust of the treasurer for the service of the Company.*

*Ordered. That from this time all the warrants signed by the Court be directed to James Cree Esq and that he be allowed one hundred pounds per annum from Christmas last being the same salary as Dr Edward Wright had as treasurer to this Company ...*

Nathaniel Wright married Dorothy Faircloth 15<sup>th</sup> February 1646 at Holy Trinity, Minories, City of London.

Children of Nathaniel and Dorothy Wright.

1. Solomon 1655
2. Nathaniel 1657,
3. Charles born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1666 at Guildford, Surrey
4. John

#### **5. Edward**

6. Thomas

Dorothy Wright was buried 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1669, at St Mary, Guildford

Nathaniel Wright married Jane 13<sup>th</sup> January 1676

Children of Nathaniel and Jane Wright:

7. Catherine baptised 15<sup>th</sup> December 1678, married Jonathan Newman, linen draper, 19<sup>th</sup> February 1706.
8. Sarah born? buried 21<sup>st</sup> July 1681, at St Mary, Guildford

Nathaniel Wright snr was buried 21<sup>st</sup> July 1681, at St Mary, Guildford.

**Edward Wright** of Southwark Glass Grinder, son of Nathaniel Wright of Guildsford in Surrey Scrivener deceased and Sarah Knight of Little Poritton, daughter of William Knight of ye Minorys Shoemaker deceased were married 17<sup>th</sup> September 1685.

No children mentioned in his will.

Edward Wright of London Doctor of Physic died in the Parish of St James in Bath in the seventh month One Thousand seven Hundred & twenty eight & was buried at Bathford. Probate gives his death as 21<sup>st</sup> September 1728.

Sarah Wright wife of Edward Wright died 19<sup>th</sup> November 1721, aged about 78, buried at Bunhillfield 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1721.

### **Family mentioned in the will of Edward Wright.**

John Wright John had daughters Sarah & Elizabeth

Thomas Wright, daughters Joanne, & Ann

Nathaniel Wright had a son Edward (in Maryland)

Solomon

Charles

Catherine baptised 15<sup>th</sup> December 1678, had a daughter Mary who had married John Gray, distiller 13<sup>th</sup> July 1727 (John Gray named as executor of his will).

## **Nathaniel Matson**

A member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper January 1698 to 1704.

### **14th August 1705 LLC 1**

*Do further reports that since the last Court there had been transferred to this corporation in their Politick Capacity by Dr Edward Wright for & on behalf of Messrs Daniel & Nathaniel Matson (by virtue of a letter of Attorney dated the 9th instant) forty shares in the Stock & profits of the Royal Mines pursuant to the Resolutions of a General Court of this corporation held the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June last, which shares are upon the proper account of the said Nathaniel Matson.*

Nathaniel Matson was elected to the Court of Assistant 31<sup>st</sup> December 1705 and continued until his death in 1719.

John Matson, a local merchant, was elected the Mayor of Dover in 1668 and for the following two years.

Children of John and Mary Matson:

1. John baptised 13<sup>th</sup> March 1646, buried 13<sup>th</sup> October 1699, Will dated 19<sup>th</sup> November 1698.
2. Margaret baptised 26<sup>th</sup> February 1648, married James Houseman 6<sup>th</sup> February 1682, she died about 1719
3. Robert baptised 18<sup>th</sup> May 1651, a Salter, buried 18<sup>th</sup> November 1695, at Hackney
4. Edward baptised 1652/3, a Grocer, died 30<sup>th</sup> September 1688, at Hackney.
5. Daniel baptised 26<sup>th</sup> April 1670, a Merchant, died 15<sup>th</sup> September 1709, buried 19<sup>th</sup> September 1709
6. Mary born about 1655
7. Christopher born about 1662 died after 1689
8. Thomas baptised 12<sup>th</sup> December 1662, died about 1686
- 9. Nathaniel** born 24<sup>th</sup> September 1665, baptised 24<sup>th</sup> November 1665, at St Mary the Virgin, Dover.
10. Nicholas baptised 4<sup>th</sup> October 1667, died about 1709
11. Henry baptised 26<sup>th</sup> April 1670, burial 11<sup>th</sup> March 1721 at St James the Apostle, Dover
12. James born about 1674 died after 1722.

John Matson buried 25<sup>th</sup> October 1686, at St James, Dover

Mary Matson was buried 28<sup>th</sup> March 1712, at St James, Dover

**9. Nathaniel Matson** did not marry he died 5<sup>th</sup> December 1719, and was buried 7<sup>th</sup> November 1719, at St James the Apostle, Dover

### **Calendar of State Papers August 1689**

*Aug. 8. Hampton Court. Warrant for letters patent to Christopher Matson and Nathaniel Matson for an invention for producing fowls out of eggs by artificial heat, by which, they say, the town will be supplied with sufficient partridges and pheasants at cheap rates, and the game belonging to gentlemen within 50 miles of London, preserved.*

Source: <https://www.british-history.ac.uk/cal-state-papers/domestic/will-mary/1689-90/pp205-238>

## Joseph Grove

Joseph Grove Signed the declaration January 1712, and Elected 8<sup>th</sup> January 1712, last elected January 1714 he had 50 shares.

Joseph Grove owned land on the Island of Barbados and had shares in land in the province of Pennsylvania, his will indicates he also owned ships.

John Grove married Ruth \_\_\_\_\_.

Children of John and Ruth Grove:

**1. Joseph** born about 1652

2. Margaret 1658, married George Gilbert , mariner, 30<sup>th</sup> August 1677, George Gilbert died? Margaret Gilbert widow, married Richard Diamond, mariner 12<sup>th</sup> January 1682, she died 1<sup>st</sup> December 1708, aged 50.

3. Mary 1669, married Moses Parran, butcher, 9<sup>th</sup> October 1694, she died 16<sup>th</sup> September 1695, aged 26.

4. Benjamin born? a married Mary Teddeman 19<sup>th</sup> July 1677, Benjamin Grove died 1756?

5. Ruth born about 1670, buried 30<sup>th</sup> August 1674, aged 4 years.

6. John 1676 – 1717

7. Silvanus born 29<sup>th</sup> June 1674, he married Elizabeth Albritton, daughter of William Albritton, brewer, 26<sup>th</sup> September 1695

Silvanus Grove died 18<sup>th</sup> November 1717, aged 41 years, merchant & director of the New Pennsylvania, Company

8. Ruth born 13<sup>th</sup> April 1676, married John Munday, mariner, 30<sup>th</sup> January 1693, at Horselydown, Southwark. Ruth died 6<sup>th</sup> June 1733,

John Grove died 1676/77 his Will dated 10<sup>th</sup> January 1676 (he was about to go to sea) probate 17<sup>th</sup> December 1677, Ruth Grove died 17<sup>th</sup> July 1719, aged 85.

**1. Joseph** Grove married Sarah Mellows about 1692.

Children of John and Sarah Grove:

1. Elizabeth 1695

2. Sarah 1696 married Edward Hankin, mariner, of Limehouse, Middlesex, 8<sup>th</sup> December 1715, Sarah Hankin died 1<sup>st</sup> September 1717

3. Joseph born 7<sup>th</sup> April 1701

4. John born 1704, died 4<sup>th</sup> December 1704 aged 9 days.

Sarah Grove died 29<sup>th</sup> April 1708, aged 34.

Joseph Grove of the parish of Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, son of John Grove mariner, deceased, married Mary Franklin, relict of Jacob Franklin, Vintner, deceased, 6<sup>th</sup> December 1711.

Joseph Grove died 9<sup>th</sup> October 1714 aged 62, his will was dated 6<sup>th</sup> February 1714, Probate 19<sup>th</sup> October 1714.

Mary Relict of Joseph Grove, merchant, married Richard Champion, Merchant, of Bristol, 24<sup>th</sup> June 1718.



## **Joseph Heale**

Joseph Heale had been a share holder in the Ryton Company, and Royall Mines Copper, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> January 1712, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1720, and served until December 1720.

Joseph Heale born 23<sup>rd</sup> December 1663, son of Richard and Mary Heale.

Richard Heale died 18<sup>th</sup> April 1700 aged 78, Mary Heale died 16<sup>th</sup> May 1700 aged 78.

Joseph Heale of Staines, Distiller son of Richard Heale, Collar maker, married Deborah Tanner daughter of Thomas Tanner, 9<sup>th</sup> June 1686.

Children of Joseph and Deborah Heale:

1. Dorcas buried 25<sup>th</sup> August 1688
2. Joseph born 18<sup>th</sup> September 1689, died 13<sup>th</sup> July 1701 aged 12.
3. Mary born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1694, died 29<sup>th</sup> April 1696
4. Dorcase born 28<sup>th</sup> February 1695, died 12<sup>th</sup> August 1713 aged 17.
5. Mary born 8<sup>th</sup> March 1698, died 24<sup>th</sup> August 1718, aged 20
6. Thomas born 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1700, died 4<sup>th</sup> July 1700 aged 2 days

Joseph Heale of Staines in Middlesex died 7<sup>th</sup> October 1722, aged 59, buried at Uxbridge 11<sup>th</sup> October 1722. Probate of his 26<sup>th</sup> October 1722.

Deborah Heale died 26<sup>th</sup> June 1738, aged 70, buried at Uxbridge, 30<sup>th</sup> August 1738

## **Humphrey Hill snr**

Humphrey Hill took the oath? to become a member of the Company 5<sup>th</sup> January 1711, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> January 1712, he was last elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1716.

Humphrey Weaver, married Elizabeth Cooke, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1669, at Devonshire House, London.

Children:

1. Mary born about 1683, married James Brain, son of Benjamin Brain, merchant, 25<sup>th</sup> July 1707, children Susanna, Mary, Elizabeth Brains
2. Humphrey born about 1680
3. Joseph Hill, Physician son of Humphrey Hill Brewer married Ann Harvey 16<sup>th</sup> February 1701, at Thaxted, Essex

Humphrey Hill senior, Brewer, of the Parish of St Botolph Without Aldgate, London died 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1716, aged 68, buried at Long Lane, Southwark.

His will dated 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1713, Probate 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1716, named his sons, Joseph and Humphrey, and daughter Mary.

## **2. Humphrey Hill jnr.**

Humphrey Hill was Elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1725, his last election to the Court of Assistants was January 1731.

He owned 600 acres (or a share) of land near Philadelphia in Pennsylvania

Humphrey Hill of London Silk man son of Humphrey Hill, Brewer married Mary Brain daughter of Benjamin Brain, Merchant, 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1705.

Children of Humphrey and Mary Hill:

2/1. Mary born 6<sup>th</sup> March 1706, died 20<sup>th</sup> January 1731 aged about 25 years.

Mary Hill wife of Humphrey Hill died 29<sup>th</sup> January 1707 aged 22 years.

Humphrey Hill Citizen and Weaver, son of Humphrey Hill, Brewer, married Elizabeth Thompson daughter of Henry Thompson, wine cooper, deceased 5<sup>th</sup> July 1711.

Children of Humphrey and Elizabeth Hill:

2/2. Humphrey baptised 20<sup>th</sup> August 1716, at St Matthew Friday Street with St Peter Cheap, London, died 29<sup>th</sup> August 1716 aged about 2 weeks, buried at Ratcliffe

2/3. Susannah baptised 25<sup>th</sup> December 1719 at St Matthew Friday Street with St Peter Cheap, London

2/4. Joseph baptised 28<sup>th</sup> June 1721, at St Matthew Friday Street with St Peter Cheap, London

Humphrey Hill merchant of the Parish of St Margaret Moses, London died 24<sup>th</sup> May 1740, aged 60, buried 30<sup>th</sup> July 1740 at School House Lane in Ratcliffe.

Elizabeth Hill of Tottenham Middlesex died 30<sup>th</sup> December 1762 aged 75 years, buried at Ratcliffe.

## **William Smith**

William Smith was first elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1715, having taken the oaths required, he had 200 shares in 1730, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730. William Smith was one of those named in the case heard at the Court of Chancery, in 1739, and required to pay back money to the Company.

## **Benjamin Hopkins**

Benjamin Hopkins was elected to the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> January 1717, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730, he continued to serve until his death in September 1730.

Benjamin in Hopkins, born 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1685, parents William and Katherine Hopkins.

Benjamin Hopkins, Vintner, of the parish of St George in Southwark, son of William Hopkins, vintner, deceased, married Sarah Haddon daughter of John Haddon, blacksmith, 29<sup>th</sup> August 1706, at Horselydown, London.

Children of Benjamin and Sarah Hopkins:

Elizabeth born 1<sup>st</sup> December 1707

Mary born 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1709

Sarah born 14<sup>th</sup> July 1710

Elizabeth born 4<sup>th</sup> September 1712

Haddon born 14<sup>th</sup> January 1714

Benjamin born 8<sup>th</sup> July 1716 lived with John and Elizabeth Estaugh.

Ebenezer born 20<sup>th</sup> June 1718

Hannah born 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1719, died 13<sup>th</sup> September 1719

John born 28<sup>th</sup> July 1721, died 18<sup>th</sup> August 1721

Benjamin born 28<sup>th</sup> July 1721 died 19<sup>th</sup> August 1721

Benjamin Hopkins died 1<sup>st</sup> September 1730 of consumption aged 45. Probate 9<sup>th</sup> October 1730

Sarah Hopkins died 13<sup>th</sup> June 1758, aged 72.

## Warner Family

Isaac Warner a Cooper, married Ann Parkwood 17<sup>th</sup> June 1668:

Children of Isaac and Ann Warner:

1. **Simeon** born 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1669, in Whitechapel, Middlesex

2. Isaac born 15<sup>th</sup> February 1670

3. **John** born 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1674

4. Ann born 12<sup>th</sup> June 1677

Isaac Warner died 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1704 aged 68.

Ann Warner died?

### 1. Simeon Warner snr

Simeon Warner signed the declaration in lieu of the oath appointed by the Charter before the Governor in open Court and thereupon was admitted a member of the Company on 19<sup>th</sup> June 1722. In 1731 he was elected to be a part of the Committee to look it the misuse of Company funds by Edward Wright & others, he was elected to the Court of Assistants January 1732, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1744.

Simeon Warner Timber Merchant married Anna Giesberts about 1694 in Germany.

Children of Simeon and Ann Warner:

1/1. Ann born 10<sup>th</sup> August 1695, married Jacob Hagen 16<sup>th</sup> September 1714

1/2. Isaac born 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1696, died 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1697

1/3. Martha born 11<sup>th</sup> August 1698

1/4. Margaret born 7<sup>th</sup> November 1701

1/5. Isaac born 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1697, buried 6<sup>th</sup> April 1697

1/6. Mary born 4<sup>th</sup> April 1700, died 20<sup>th</sup> May 1700

**1/7. Isaac** born 13<sup>th</sup> July 1703, married Ann Kenton 25<sup>th</sup> January 1736, at St Brides, Fleet St.

1/8. Rebecca born 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1709

1/9. Simeon born 20<sup>th</sup> April 1711, died 9<sup>th</sup> June 1716

**1/10. Jacob** born 27<sup>th</sup> June 1715,

1/11. Katherine born 13<sup>th</sup> March 1706

Anna Warner died 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1743, aged 68 years, buried at Long Lanes, Bermondsey.

Simeon Warner of St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey in Southwark aged 85 years died 26<sup>th</sup> August 1754, buried 30<sup>th</sup> August 1754 at Long Lane Southwark. Probate 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 1754.

**1/7. Isaac Warner** born 13<sup>th</sup> July 1703, married Ann Kenton 25<sup>th</sup> January 1736, at St Brides, Fleet St.

Children of Isaac and Ann Warner:

1/7/1. Margaret born 27<sup>th</sup> September 1737

1/7/2. Simeon born 20<sup>th</sup> March 1738

1/7/3. Ann born 16<sup>th</sup> January 1740

1/7/4 Isaac born 9<sup>th</sup> March 1741, died 20<sup>th</sup> August 1742, buried 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1742

**1/7/5.** Isaac born 28<sup>th</sup> August 1743

1/7/6. Herbert born 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1745, died 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1746, aged 6 months, buried the same day.

Isaac Warner died about 1777, probate 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1777

Ann Warner died about 1775

### **1/7/5. Isaac Warner**

Isaac Warner was first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1787, he was last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1815, served until December 1816, his **son Isaac** was elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1816 to serve for the year 1817, Isaac jnr. died June 1817.

**Isaac Warner** married Elizabeth Matthews 14<sup>th</sup> May 1771, at St Mary Magdalene, Bermondsey.

Elizabeth Warner died?

Isaac Warner married Mary Carr 6<sup>th</sup> June 1776, at St Mary Magdalene, Bermondsey.

Children of Isaac and Mary Warner:

**1/7/5/1. Isaac** baptised 14<sup>th</sup> October 1779, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, Southwark, died 20<sup>th</sup> June 1817

1/7/5/2. Matthew baptised 15<sup>th</sup> August 1782, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, Southwark

1/7/5/3. Mary baptised 12<sup>th</sup> August 1784, at St Paul, Deptford, Kent. married William Allen

**1/7/5/4. Simeon** born 12<sup>th</sup> March 1786, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> April 1786, at St Paul, Deptford, Kent

1/7/5/5. Sophia born 31<sup>st</sup> May 1790, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> July 1790, at St Paul, Deptford, Kent, married Robert Wheeler 29<sup>th</sup> March 1819.

1/7/5/6. Sarah Catherine, baptised 10<sup>th</sup> December 1797, at St Alfege, Greenwich

1/7/5/7. Isaac baptised 16<sup>th</sup> June 1799, at St Alfege, Greenwich.

Isaac Warner of Blackheath, Kent, died 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1822, aged 79, probated 19<sup>th</sup> January 1822.

Mary Warner died Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May 1842, aged 87, at Blackheath, Kent.

### **1/7/5/4. Simeon Warner**

Simeon Warner was elected to the Court of Assistants 24<sup>th</sup> June 1824 and served until 1865, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1865.

**Simeon Warner** born 12th March 1786 , baptised 25<sup>th</sup> April 1786, at St Paul, Deptford, Kent, parents Isaac & Mary Warner.

Simeon Warner married Ann Bryan Young 5<sup>th</sup> March 1811, at St Mary, Lewisham.

Children of Simeon and Ann B Warner:

1/7/5/4/1. Simeon born January 1813, buried 27<sup>th</sup> January 1813, at St Lawrence Jewry

1/7/5/4/2. Simeon born 12<sup>th</sup> March 1814, baptised 21<sup>st</sup> May 1814, at St Lawrence Jewry, buried at St Lawrence Jewry 12<sup>th</sup> July 1814

1/7/5/4/3. Ann Jane born about 1815, married Charles Burney 4<sup>th</sup> February 1840, at St Mary Lewisham, she died 27<sup>th</sup> March 1842, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1842, at St Peter, Essex

1/7/5/4/4. Mary Letitia baptised 21<sup>st</sup> June 1817, at St Alphege, Greenwich 1817, died 1857

1/7/5/4/5. Isaac Redston born 28<sup>th</sup> April 1822, died 1<sup>st</sup> August 1864

1/7/5/4/6. Louisa Margaret baptised 10<sup>th</sup> May 1820, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/7. Simeon Burney baptised 24<sup>th</sup> December 1821, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/8. Edward Charles, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> April 1824, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/9. Henry George baptised 8<sup>th</sup> September 1824, at St Mary, Lewisham buried 17<sup>th</sup> September 1825, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/10. Caroline baptised 21<sup>st</sup> December 1825, at St Mary, Lewisham, married Leonard Shuter 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1850, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/11. Algernon baptised 8<sup>th</sup> July 1827, at St Mary, Lewisham

1/7/5/4/12. Frederick baptised 26<sup>th</sup> October 1828, at St Mary, Lewisham

In 1841, at Colonnade House, Lewisham, Kent, Simeon Warner, independent, aged 55, his wife Ann 51, and daughter Louisa 21.

In 1851, at Colonnade House, Lewisham, Kent, Simeon Warner, landed proprietor, aged 65, his wife Ann B aged 61, children, Algernon, solicitor aged 23, Frederick, stock broker, aged 22, daughter Caroline Shuter, aged 25, and son in law, Leonard Shuter, cooper aged 26.

In 1861, at 18 Brunswick Square, Brighton, Simeon Warner, landed proprietor, aged 75, his wife Ann Bryan 71, son Frederick, unmarried, stock broker, daughter in law Elizabeth Hamilton Warner 36, her daughters Annie Henrietta Warner 15, Louise Mary Warner 13, Eliza Oldfield Warner 9 and Mary Ann C Warner 5.

Simeon Warner died 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1866, buried 8<sup>th</sup> May 1866, at St Andrew Churchyard, Hove, Sussex.

Probate 1<sup>st</sup> June 1866

*The Will of Simeon Warner formerly of Colonnade House Blackheath in the County of Kent but late of 18 Brunswick-square Brighton in the County of Sussex Esquire deceased who died 2 May 1866 at 18 Brunswick-square aforesaid was proved at the Principal Registry by the oaths of Algernon Warner of 7 Golden- square in the County of Middlesex Solicitor and Frederick Warner of 18 Brunswick-square aforesaid Gentleman the Sons two of the Executors. Effects under £120,000.*

Ann Bryan Warner died 6<sup>th</sup> October 1869, aged 80

**1/10. Jacob Warner** was elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754 he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1757, and served up until his death in 1758.

**Jacob Warner** (son of Simeon and Ann (nee Giesberts) Warner, born 17<sup>th</sup> July 1715) and his wife Rebecca Kilpin married 6<sup>th</sup> December 1742, at Hardingstone, C of E., Northamptonshire.

Children.

**1/10/1. Simeon** born 19<sup>th</sup> February 1743, baptised 27<sup>th</sup> February 1743, at Hardingstone, C of E., Northamptonshire.

**1/10/2. Ann** born 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1745, died 8<sup>th</sup> June 1746 aged about 7 months.

**1/10/3. Jacob** born 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1747, occupation, Grocer. Jacob Warner married Elizabeth Redston 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1782, at the parish of Darley, Derbyshire

**1/10/4. Ann** born 11<sup>th</sup> July 1749

**1/10/5. Joseph** born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1752, occupation, Grocer. Joseph Warner married Penelope Harris 24<sup>th</sup> June 1809 at St Alphege, Greenwich

Jacob Warner, Coal factor, died 1<sup>st</sup> March 1758, aged 43, buried at Long Lane. Rebecca Warner died 9<sup>th</sup> May 1790, aged 77 years, buried at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

### **1/10/1. Simeon Warner**

First elected to the Court of Assistants in 31<sup>st</sup> December 1784, he was last elected to the Court 28<sup>th</sup> December 1804, to serve for the year 1805.



**1/10/1. Simeon Warner** married Mary Warner 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1768, at St John, Croydon.

Children of Simeon and Mary Warner:

**1/10/1/1. Kilpin** born 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1771, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> June 1771, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, Southwark.

1/10/1/2. Mary baptised 12<sup>th</sup> January 1776, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, Southwark

**1/10/1.** Simeon Warner, Coal Factor died 18<sup>th</sup> August 1814 aged 71 years, buried at Long Lane 26<sup>th</sup> August 1814.

15<sup>th</sup> September 1814 LLC 17

The Probate of the will of Simeon Warner 5<sup>th</sup> September 1814, his brothers Jacob and Joseph appointed as executors.

Mary Warner wife of Simeon Warner died 28<sup>th</sup> March 1801, aged 57, buried 4<sup>th</sup> April 1801, at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

**1/10/1/1. Kilpin Warner** he was first elected to serve on the Court of Assistants 27<sup>th</sup> December 1805 and served up until his disqualification in April 1838.

Kilpin Warner married Mary Ann Parker, 5<sup>th</sup> February 1795, at St Lawrence Jewry, City of London, his occupation was seedsman.

Children of Kilpin and Mary Ann Warner:

1. Frederick baptised 4<sup>th</sup> March 1792, at Christ Church, Southwark, Surrey
2. Christopher Parker born 4<sup>th</sup> August 1796, baptised, 26<sup>th</sup> August 1796, at Saint Mary The Virgin Aldermanbury, London
3. Henry born 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1798, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1798, at Saint Mary The Virgin Aldermanbury, London
4. Jane Maria born 1<sup>st</sup> May 1814, baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1814, at Saint Mary, Newington, Surrey, England
5. Elizabeth?

Kilpin Warner was buried 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1839, at St John, Horselydown, Southwark

### **The London Gazette 1<sup>st</sup> May 1835, Issue 19266**

*NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, under the firm of Warner, Seaman, and Warner, of Cornhill, in the City of London Seedsman, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Seaman, who retires therefrom; all debts due to the said late Partnership and owing by the same will be received and paid by the undersigned Kilpin Warner and Frederick Warner, in Cornhill aforesaid, who will in future carry on the business.— Dated this. 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1835.*

*Kilpin Warner.*

*William Seaman.*

*Frederick Warner.*

**3. John Warner** a horticulturist, born 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1674, son of Isaac (a Cooper) and Ann Warner

John Warner married Mehitabel Pilgrim, daughter of Thomas Pilgrim 25<sup>th</sup> October 1705.

Children of John and Mehettabell Warner

3/1. Thomas born 28<sup>th</sup> September 1706 and died on 9 Jan 1712 at age 5.

- 3/2. John born on 31<sup>st</sup> May 1709 and died on 12<sup>th</sup> December 1711 at age 2.  
 3/3. Anne born 18<sup>th</sup> May 1711  
 3/4. Thomas born on 27<sup>th</sup> September 1714 and died on 12<sup>th</sup> December 1714.  
**3/5. Simeon** was born on 29<sup>th</sup> March 1716  
 3/6. Mehetabel born 27<sup>th</sup> June 1718, died 31<sup>st</sup> March 1720

John Warner died 27<sup>th</sup> February 1760, aged about 83, buried at Long Lane  
 Mehetabel Warner died 4<sup>th</sup> October 1740, aged 59.

**3/5. Simeon Warner** (Coal Factor) was first elected to the Court of Assistants 1<sup>st</sup> January 1759, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1765, to serve for the year 1766.

Simeon Warner married Elizabeth Pinnell in 1737.

Children of Simeon and Elizabeth Warner:

3/5/1. Mehetabel 13<sup>th</sup> September 1737 – 1813

3/5/2. Elizabeth 24<sup>th</sup> August 1741

Elizabeth Warner senior died about in 1742

Simeon Warner married Margery

Children of Simeon and Margery Warner:

3/5/3. Ann born 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1748

3/5/4. John born 28<sup>th</sup> April 1750

3/5/5. Thomas Pilgrim born 15<sup>th</sup> August 1752, died 6<sup>th</sup> April 1801, buried 12<sup>th</sup> April 1802, at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

3/5/6. Ruth born 26<sup>th</sup> August 1755, died 10<sup>th</sup> August 1763, buried 14<sup>th</sup> August 1763, at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

3/5/7. William born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1757, at Bermondsey, died 13<sup>th</sup> January 1799, buried 20<sup>th</sup> January 1799, at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

3/5/8. Margery born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1757

3/5/9. Pilgrim born 6<sup>th</sup> January 1761

Simeon Warner died 25<sup>th</sup> August 1766, aged 50, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1766, at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

## **Arthur Woolley**

Arthur Woolley was first elected to the Court of Assistants January 1717, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730.

Listed as Goldsmith in 'A List of the Poll for Members of Parliament, For the City of London' October 1713.

Arthur Woolley, gave an octagonal pulpit to the church of St Michael and All Angels, Church Broughton, in 1751

Adam Woolley Merchant of London, who died in 1704, was a goldsmith. His Will, described him as a citizen and goldsmith was proved on 17 May 1704. He had married Sarah Grensmith 7<sup>th</sup> August 1666 at St. James's, Duke's Place, London.

### **Children of Adam and Sarah Woolley:**

1. Elizabeth married Edward Leeds



2. William who buried 26<sup>th</sup> July 1727, at St Stephen Walbrook, London, he had 55 shares in the Gov. Co. at the time of his death.
  3. **Arthur**; married? their son Samuel baptised 8<sup>th</sup> March 1680, Marston on Dove at buried 6<sup>th</sup> March 1703 at Marston on Dove, parents Arthur and Joane Woolley
  4. Ann married John Tatnall about 1706
  5. John born? John Woolley took the oath and was admitted a member of the Company April 1722 he had 54 shares in the Company in 1730.
  6. Samuel baptised 18<sup>th</sup> April 1679, at St Stephen Walbrook, London, died before 1704
- Sarah Woolley was buried 6<sup>th</sup> July 1687, at St Stephen Walbrook, London.  
Adam Woolley was buried 12<sup>th</sup> May 1704 at St Stephen Walbrook, London,

Arthur Woolley signed the declaration to become a member of the Company 16<sup>th</sup> May 1706. This is confusing his brother John took the Oath, neither have I found any record of Adam Woolley or Arthur Woolley in the Quaker records. Arthur seemed to have strong connections to the Church at Church Broughton, he bought the Vicar a book of sermons. I can only assume he moved away from the Society of Friends.

Arthur Woolley lived at Sapperton, Church Broughton, Derbyshire in 1739  
Arthur Woolley was buried 18<sup>th</sup> June 1764, at Church Broughton, Derbyshire, probate 21<sup>st</sup> June 1764.

*[https://www.andrewsgen.com/matlock/ped/wolley\\_darleyabbey.htm](https://www.andrewsgen.com/matlock/ped/wolley_darleyabbey.htm)*

*In 1877 the church historian Rev. John C. Cox mentioned the Wolley family in his accounts of the churches at both Marston on Dove and Church Broughton.*

*Marston on Dove: "Against the south chancel wall is a tablet relative to certain parochial charities left by Thomas Wolley, who died in 1669, and another to the memory of Adam Wolley, 1704, who was also a benefactor of the parish. On the floor is an eighteenth century alabaster slab to one of the same family, but the inscription is illegible ; and another slab of alabaster to Arthur Wolley, 1641, and his wife Emma, is half concealed by the communion rails".*

*Footnote: "The Wolleys purchased property at Hoon, in this parish, early in the seventeenth century."*

*Church Broughton: "The pulpit, which is of an octagon shape, was the gift of Arthur Wolley of Sapperton, in 1751".*

## **James Creed**

First listed as a shareholder 9<sup>th</sup> July 1717, he took the Oath appointed by the charter and admitted as a member 7<sup>th</sup> June 1720. First elected to the Court of Assistants January 1721 in 1722 he held 328 shares the largest shareholder at that time.

He was also a regular purchaser of lead from the company.

Appointed treasurer January 1728, when Edward Wright stepped down. He was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730, in January 1731 he was asked to hand over to the Court the Company books.

In 1832 a Bill was filed in the Court of Chancery against the previous Governor, Deputy Governor and Court of assistants for misuse of Company funds.

#### **4th August 1741 LLC 9**

*The Common Seal of this Corporation was affixed to an instrument appointing Richard Francis the Company's attorney to demand and receive of John Gray, William Smith, Arthur Woolley and James Creed or either of them the sum of Ten thousand two hundred and seven pounds three shillings and five pence farthing, being so much decreed by the Court of Chancery to be due to this Company from the late Governor, Deputy Governor and Court of Assistants.*

#### **27th August 1741 LLC 9**

*This day Messrs Creed and Smith paid in for the use of the Governor and Company the sum of Five thousand seven hundred and forty five pounds eleven shillings and eight pence farthing being part of the Ten thousand two hundred and seven pounds three shillings and five pence farthing due to the said Governor and Company by virtue of a decree in the High Court of Chancery; which said sum of £5,745 11s 8 1/4d is paid into Freame and Barclays' and wrote into the Company's cash book.*

*Ordered that a receipt under the Common Seal of the said Governor and Company be delivered for the same, which receipt was delivered accordingly and is as follows. Between the Governor and Company for the Smelting down Lead with Pit coal and Sea coal by original Bill and Bill of Reviver Plaintiffs; John Gray, James Creed, William Smith, Edward Leeds Junior and Arthur Woolley and others Defendants. Lead Office London the 27th day of August 1741.*

*Received then of the Defendants James Creed, Edward Leeds, William Smith and Arthur Woolley by the hands of the said James Creed and William Smith the sum of £5,745 11s 8 1/4d being the money Reported to be deficient of the Assets of Doctor Wright the late Treasurer come to the hands of the Defendant Gray his Executor, to answer the sum of £10,207 3s 5 1/4d reported and Decreed due to the said Company; But the same is so received without prejudice to any demand the said Company have by virtue of the Decree made in this cause upon the said Creed, Leeds, Smith & Woolley, and the other defendants for the sum of £4,461 11s 9d the remainder of the said £10,207 3s 5 1/4d or any part thereof that shall not be repaid by the Defendant Gray the Executor of the said Dr Wright. In Witness whereof the Common Seal of the said Governor and Company is hereunto affixed by order of the Court of Assistants of the said Company the day and year above written.*

The balance of the money due was paid to the Company 29<sup>th</sup> September 1741.

James Creed born 28<sup>th</sup> November 1695, baptised 1<sup>st</sup> December 1695 at St James, Piccadilly, parents James and Elizabeth Creed.

James Creed married Mrs Mary Hankey 13<sup>th</sup> July 1725 at Holy Trinity, Clapham, Lambeth, Surrey.

Mary Hankey born 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1709, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> November 1709 at St Dionis Backchurch, London, was the daughter of Sir Henry Hankey, banker and merchant trading with the Est Indies. Henry Hankey and family lived above the bank in Fenchurch Street, next to the church St Dionis Backchurch.

Children of James and Mary Creed:

1. Mary born 10<sup>th</sup> July 1727, baptised 24<sup>th</sup> July 1727 at St Dunstan in the East, London. Mary married John Fisher 9<sup>th</sup> January 1749, at St Margaret, Lee, Kent, she was buried 20<sup>th</sup> October 1751 at St Alfege, Greenwich. They had a son named James.

2. Ann baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1730, died 10<sup>th</sup> November 1735, buried at St Alfege, Greenwich
3. Hankey baptised 17<sup>th</sup> November 1734, at St Alfege, Greenwich, died 1735
4. James baptised 6<sup>th</sup> June 1736, at St Alfege, Greenwich, buried 21<sup>st</sup> November 1750 at St Alfege, Greenwich.
5. Ann born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1738, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> November 1738, at St Dionis Backchurch, London. Ann married Robert Campbell, 7<sup>th</sup> April 1768, she was buried 7<sup>th</sup> November 1821 at St Alfege, Greenwich.
6. Sarah baptised 8<sup>th</sup> August 1742, at St Alfege, Greenwich, she married Charles Birch, merchant, 1<sup>st</sup> August 1765, at St Alfege, Greenwich

James Creed died 7<sup>th</sup> February 1762 aged 67, and was buried 14<sup>th</sup> February 1762.  
 Dame Mary Creed died 14<sup>th</sup> October 1762, and was buried 21<sup>st</sup> October 1762.

James Creed was a manufacturer of White Lead, at Buckle Street, Whitechapel, as well as manufacturing lead for use on buildings. He was also a director of the East India Company.

On the 21st February 1744, James Creed deputy lieutenant of Middlesex director of the East India Company was made a Knight.

#### **Family names mentioned in the will of James Creed**

Brother in Law, Sir Joseph Hankey & Sir Thomas Hankey

Daughters, Elizabeth, Ann & Sarah Creed

Late daughter Mary married John Fisher had one son James

Son in law John Fisher, his sister Miss Annie Fisher

Cousins John Creed, William Creed, Thomas Creed

Mary Creed widow of his cousin Edward Creed



**James Creed Memorial  
 St Alfege Church, Greenwich**

Source: [www.findagrave.com](http://www.findagrave.com)

Near this place are deposited the remains of Sir James Creed, Knt. of this parish, and Dame Mary Creed his wife.

He departed this life 7<sup>th</sup> February 1762 aged 67. She died the 14<sup>th</sup> of October following aged 53.

In the same vault lie also the undermentioned children, his issue by the said Dame Mary Creed, viz.

Hankey Creed died 17 September 1735 aged 10 months

Ann Creed died 10<sup>th</sup> November 1735 aged 5 years

James Creed died 14 November 1750 aged 15 years

Mary, wife of John Fisher, esq; died 13 October 1751 aged 24 years

## **John Toms**

John Toms took the oath and was first elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1721 he was last elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1730.

John Toms, Maltster, was buried 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1730, at St Botolph, Aldgate, City of London, his Will was dated 20<sup>th</sup> March 1725, Probate 14<sup>th</sup> March 1730.

In his will he mentions his wife Susannah, a son Benjamin and two daughters, Sarah married George Braithwaite, 29<sup>th</sup> July 1710, at St Leonard, Shoreditch, and Mary married Thomas Richardson, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1714, at St Leonard, Shoreditch

John Toms appointed James Allen as his executor.

In his Will he left all his shares in the lead Company (*Governor & Co &c.*) to his daughters Sarah Braithwaite and Mary Richardson.

## **Dr Thomas Walsh**

Thomas Walsh took the oath and was first elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1721, he was last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1727, at which time he had 20 shares in the Company.

Thomas Walsh of Stourton, Worcestershire, Dr of Physic, Will dated 15<sup>th</sup> May 1724, Probate 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1728

## **Capt. John Wall**

Capt. John Wall took the oath and was first elected to the Court of Assistants, in 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1728 last elected 4<sup>th</sup> February 1729.

Elected to the Elderly Brethren of Trinity House Deptford, Stroud, 7<sup>th</sup> April 1725.

John Wall married Ann Cornelius 28<sup>th</sup> December 1703 at St Edmund the King and Martyr, Lombard Street.

Children of John and Ann Wall:

Robert baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1705, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, died 1712?

John baptised 20<sup>th</sup> March 1706, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey. John was on an adventure to East India at the time his fathers Will was written.

Cornelius, baptised 11<sup>th</sup> August 1710, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey.

Jacob baptised 12<sup>th</sup> August 1711, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey buried 1<sup>st</sup> September 1711, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey

Martha baptised 6<sup>th</sup> July 1712, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1712, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey.

His mother Martha was mentioned in his Will

John Wall died 19<sup>th</sup> July and was buried 25<sup>th</sup> July 1729, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, will dated 15<sup>th</sup> July 1729, probate 14<sup>th</sup> August 1729.

## **John Gray**

John Gray signed the declaration in June 1722 and was admitted a member of the Company, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> February 1729, he was last elected to the Court 10<sup>th</sup> March 1730.

John Gray was the executor named in the Will of Edward Wright

John Gray, Distiller, of Southwark, son of John Gray, Salesman, married Mary Newman daughter of Jonathan and Katherine Newman 13<sup>th</sup> July 1727.

### **Children of John and Mary Gray:**

1. Katherine born 9<sup>th</sup> January 1730, at Parish of St Saviours
2. Edward born 8<sup>th</sup> April 1731, died 8<sup>th</sup> April 1731, buried 8<sup>th</sup> April 1731, at Long Lane Southwark
3. Mary died 17<sup>th</sup> January 1733, aged 15 days, buried 19<sup>th</sup> January 1733, at Long Lane Southwark
4. Wright born 13<sup>th</sup> August 1734, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
5. John born 13<sup>th</sup> April 1736, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's, died 12<sup>th</sup> December 1756, aged 20.
6. Nathaniel, born 24<sup>th</sup> April 1738, at Watling Street,
7. Mary born 5<sup>th</sup> September 1739, at Watling Street,
8. Newman born 28<sup>th</sup> February 1741, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
9. Edward born 4<sup>th</sup> December 1742, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's, emigrated to Canada.
10. Susanna born 8<sup>th</sup> February 1744, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
11. Jonathan Abraham born 29<sup>th</sup> July 1746, at Wandsworth, Surrey
12. Elizabeth born 14<sup>th</sup> August 1748, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
13. Charles born 6<sup>th</sup> October 1749, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
14. Arthur born 15<sup>th</sup> October 1751, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.
15. Henrietta born 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1754, at Watling Street, parish of St Augustine's.

## **Matthews Beachcroft**

Matthews Beachcroft shareholder in 1729, elected to the Court of Assistants January 1730, he held 30 shares, elected in 1731, and last elected 6<sup>th</sup> January 1732, not mentioned after 1732 (see law suit).

Matthews Beachcroft was Deputy Governor of the Bank of England 1754 – 1756 and Governor 1756 - 1758

Matthews Beachcroft son of Samuel and Mary Beachcroft (Clothworker of London, and Deputy Governor of LLC)

Matthews Beachcroft born 10<sup>th</sup> September 1704 married Elizabeth Porton (mother Jane) 10<sup>th</sup> April 1729 at Whitehall Chapel.

### **Children of Matthews and Elizabeth Beachcroft:**

1. Elizabeth baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1729, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London, buried 25<sup>th</sup> July 1764, at Wanstead, Essex
2. Mary baptised 26<sup>th</sup> May 1731, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London, married Rev. John Shepherd, 11<sup>th</sup> September 1760, at St Mary The Virgin with Christ, Wanstead. Mary Shepherd was buried 27<sup>th</sup> November 1764
3. Samuel baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1732, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London, married Elizabeth Seward, 16<sup>th</sup> November 1758, at Little Ouseburn, Yorkshire.

4. Francis baptised 4<sup>th</sup> February 1734, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London
5. Robert Porton baptised 8<sup>th</sup> May 1744, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London, buried 20<sup>th</sup> July 1781 at Wanstead, Essex, Robert Porton Beachcroft, Merchant, married Sarah Dickinson 29<sup>th</sup> June 1780. Robert Porton Beachcroft was buried 20<sup>th</sup> July 1781 at Wanstead, Essex. Robert and Sarah Beachcroft had a son Robert Porton born 1781, the Rev. Beachcroft took up the post of Rector of Blunham in 1806.
6. Joseph Matthews baptised 10<sup>th</sup> December 1746, at St Andrew Undershaft, City of London, Joseph Matthews Beachcroft, Draper, died 1<sup>st</sup> August 1784.

Matthews Beachcroft was buried 25<sup>th</sup> July 1759 at St Michael Bassishaw, City of London.

Elizabeth Beachcroft died after 18<sup>th</sup> November 1764 and before the 25<sup>th</sup> June 1767

### **Michael Russell snr**

Michael Russell signed the declaration to become a member of the Company 19<sup>th</sup> May 1705, he had previously been a member of the Committee of the Royal Mines Copper in 1703 until at least August 1704. Michael Russell was elected to the Court of Assistants July 1730, when he held 44 shares in the Company, and served until his death in 1741.

Michael Russell born 17<sup>th</sup> July 1674, son of Michael and Margaret Russell.

Michael Russell, weaver, married Jane Gouldney 21<sup>st</sup> September 1698

#### **Children of Michael and Jane Russell:**

1. Rebecca born 1699 died 21<sup>st</sup> April 1711 aged about 12 years.
2. Jane born 30<sup>th</sup> November 1700
3. Mary born 16<sup>th</sup> January 1702, married Peter Collinson 11<sup>th</sup> June 1724
4. Elizabeth born 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1704 died 12<sup>th</sup> February 1704 aged about 1 week
5. Elizabeth born 19<sup>th</sup> July 1705
6. Letitia born 20<sup>th</sup> January 1707, died 14<sup>th</sup> March 1707 aged about 2 months.
7. **Michael** born 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1708,
8. Gouldney born 8<sup>th</sup> December 1709, died 19<sup>th</sup> December 1709
9. Rebecca born 21<sup>st</sup> April 1711

Jane Russell died 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1712, in Child bed, aged 32 years.

Michael Russell, Citizen and Weaver married Mary Fisher daughter of Stephen Fisher, Wine Cooper 28<sup>th</sup> March 1717 at the London quarterly meeting.

Michael Russell senior died 7<sup>th</sup> December 1747, aged 73 years.

**7. Michael Russell jnr.** took the affirmation and was admitted to the Company 15<sup>th</sup> December 1741, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1743, and last elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1750.

Michael Russell, Merchant, married Elizabeth Metcalfe daughter of Lascells Metcalf 15<sup>th</sup> July 1731, at Devonshire House, London.

Children of Michael and Elizabeth Russell:

1. Christiana born 24<sup>th</sup> June 1732
2. Jane died 24<sup>th</sup> May 1733, aged about 7 days

3. Michael born 16<sup>th</sup> August 1734, died 18<sup>th</sup> October 1736, aged 2.
4. Metcalfe born 29<sup>th</sup> November 1735
5. Mary born 25<sup>th</sup> September 1743

Michael Russell was buried 1<sup>st</sup> February 1768, at St George, Bloomsbury, Camden  
Elizabeth Russell died about 1770?

## **Edmund Stevens**

Edmund Stevens took the oath to be admitted to the Company January 1726, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> July 1730 he was last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1734

Edmund Stevens, Grocer, married Sibella Cordon 21<sup>st</sup> July 1710, at St Katherine, Coleman, City of London.

### **Children.**

Edmund buried 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1712, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London

Joseph baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1712, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London, buried 15<sup>th</sup> March 1713, at St Michael, Queenhithe

Sibbella baptised 7<sup>th</sup> January 1713, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London

Edmund baptised 31<sup>st</sup> July 1720, at St Michael, Queenhithe, London

William baptised 15<sup>th</sup> April 1724, at St George, Botolph Lane, City of London, buried 8<sup>th</sup> March 1730, aged 6 years, at St Michael, Queenhithe, cause of death, Smallpox.

John baptised 15<sup>th</sup> June 1725, at St George, Botolph Lane, City of London

Edmund Stevens possible death 9<sup>th</sup> July 1761, his Will was dated 15<sup>th</sup> August 1759, probate 13<sup>th</sup> July 1761.

Sibella Stevens was buried 25<sup>th</sup> March 1775, at St Mary, Stoke Newington.

## **Thomas Boddington**

Thomas Boddington took the oath, and first became a member of the Court of Assistants 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753, for the year 1754.

Thomas Boddington born 16<sup>th</sup> September 1678, son of George Boddington (and his wife Hannah Cope). George Boddington Citizen and Clothworker, was a Levant (importing from Turkey) merchant, he was also Governor of the Greenland Company from 1693, a director of the Bank of England from 1694 and Member of Parliament for Wilton, Wiltshire, 1702. (source: London Metropolitan Archives)

Thomas Boddington was also a Levant merchant, and Clothworker, of Leadenhall Street and Camberwell.

Thomas Boddington married Sara Brassey, 27<sup>th</sup> November 1711, at St Aske Hospital, Middlesex, London.



Children of Thomas and Sara Boddington:

1. Mary baptised 20<sup>th</sup> September 1712, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London, married Isaac Kennedy 5<sup>th</sup> February 1735, at St Giles, Cripplegate
2. Hannah baptised 8<sup>th</sup> October 1713, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London, married John Iles, Corn Factor 10<sup>th</sup> September 1741, at St Aske Hospital, Middlesex, London.
3. Sara buried 30<sup>th</sup> October 1714, at St Olave, London

Sara Boddington was buried 27<sup>th</sup> October 1714, at All Hallows, London

Thomas married Mary Deacon 7<sup>th</sup> February 1716, at St Aske Hospital, Middlesex, London.

Children of Thomas and Mary Boddington:

Elizabeth baptised 13<sup>th</sup> April 1718, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London  
Sarah baptised 27<sup>th</sup> February 1721, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London  
Thomas baptised 29<sup>th</sup> January 1722, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London,  
John baptised 28<sup>th</sup> June 1725, at St Margaret Lothbury, City of London

Thomas Boddington died 20<sup>th</sup> December 1755, buried 24<sup>th</sup> December 1755 at Islington, London.

## **Sollom Emlyn**

Sollom Emlyn took the oaths and was admitted as a member of the Company July 1722, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753, and served up until his death in 1754.

He wrote a Complete Collection of State-Trials, and Proceedings for High-Treason, and Other Crimes and Misdemeanours; from the Reign of King Richard II. to the End of the Reign of King George I. In six volumes published 1742

Sollom Emlyn was the second son of Thomas Emlyn a Presbyterian minister, who had moved from England to Dublin to preach, Thomas was tried for Blasphemy (questioned the Trinity) in 1703 and served a year in Dublin prison, after which he returned to London.

Thomas Emlyn born 1663 married Mrs Esther Bury (nee Sollom, her 1<sup>st</sup> husband died 1691) July 1694

They had two children

Son?

Sollom born 27<sup>th</sup> December 1697, at Dublin

Esther Emlyn died 13<sup>th</sup> October 1701 aged 29.

Thomas Emlyn senior died 30<sup>th</sup> July 1741

Sollom Emlyn studied law, at Leiden University and became a member of Lincoln's Inn, he gained a great reputation as a chamber counsel.

Sollom Emlyn married Mary Woodhouse, the daughter of Rev. William Woodhouse, on 10<sup>th</sup> November 1729.

### **Children of Sollom and Mary Emlyn.**

1. **Thomas** born 1733
2. Sollom died 1744.



Sollom Emlyn died 28 June 1754, buried in Bunhill Fields burying-ground, where there is an inscription to his memory.

Mary Emlyn was buried 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1764 in Bunhill Fields burying-ground (Source: Dictionary of National Biography, Volumes 1-22, accessed via Ancestry.co.uk)

**1. Thomas Emlyn** was elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1756, he was last elected to the Court 1<sup>st</sup> January 1779.

Thomas Emlyn was admitted to Lincoln's Inn 25<sup>th</sup> February 1749, he became a Chancery Barrister.

Thomas Emlyn of John Street, was buried 9<sup>th</sup> August 1797, aged 64, in Bunhill Fields burying-ground, he had no children, and no has been marriage found.

## **William Foster**

William Foster took the oath 19<sup>th</sup> May 1724 and became a member of the Company, 15<sup>th</sup> August 1727, he signed the declaration and became a member of the Company (a different person/relative?). On 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731, William Foster was elected to the Court of Assistants, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1735, in 1730 he held 100 shares.

William Foster born about 1684

William Foster leather seller, son of Richard Foster furrier, married Sarah Varton daughter of William Varton, Tallow Chandler, 13<sup>th</sup> October 1709

### **Children of William and Sarah Foster:**

1. William born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1710, died 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1710
2. Sarah born 21<sup>st</sup> July 1711, died 15<sup>th</sup> January 1731
3. Mary born 20<sup>th</sup> October 1712, married Thomas Reynolds, cloth worker, 17<sup>th</sup> September 1734
4. William born 21<sup>st</sup> April 1714, married Ann Savill 6<sup>th</sup> January 1736, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, Southwark
5. Hannah born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1715, married John Hiscox, Hop Merchant, of Bristol, 21<sup>st</sup> October 1734
6. Ann born 31<sup>st</sup> July 1723, died 31<sup>st</sup> August 1723

William Foster of St Saviours parish died 31<sup>st</sup> May 1735, aged 51, buried 4<sup>th</sup> June 1735, at Long Lane, Southwark.

Sarah Foster died 25<sup>th</sup> August 1769, aged 73, buried at Bunhill Fields.

## **Lascells Metcalfe**

Lascells Metcalfe signed the declaration 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1705, and was admitted as a member of the Company; he was listed as having 5 shares in May 1706. He was elected to the Court of Assistants member of the Court of Assistants 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731 (in 1730 he had 143 shares), he was last elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> January 1733

Lascells Metcalfe, merchant Tailor, son of Robert Metcalfe, deceased, married Christian Cox daughter of Thomas Cox, Vintner, deceased 10 November 1691.

**Children of Lascells and Christian Metcalfe:**

1. Thomas 17<sup>th</sup> November 1692, at Gracechurch St, parish of St Leonard, East Cheapside, died 1693 aged about 1 year.
2. Mercy born 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1697, died 20<sup>th</sup> January 1699, aged about 13 months.
3. Lascells born 25<sup>th</sup> April 1702, buried 28<sup>th</sup> January 1703
4. Elizabeth born 20<sup>th</sup> October 1703, died 1<sup>st</sup> March 1704
5. Christian born 29<sup>th</sup> July 1705, died 29<sup>th</sup> March 1723, age 17, of Consumption.
6. John born 6<sup>th</sup> March 1707, died 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1709, aged about 21 months.
7. Lascells born 12<sup>th</sup> December 1709,
8. Elizabeth born 13<sup>th</sup> November 1712, married Michael Russell, merchant, son of Michael Russell, merchant, 15<sup>th</sup> July 1731.
9. Ann born 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1716, died 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1719

Christian Metcalfe died 17<sup>th</sup> November 1729 aged 56, of Consumption.

Lascells Metcalfe merchant tailor, married Rachel Boswell, widow of John Boswell, 30<sup>th</sup> March 1732. Rachel Metcalfe died 26<sup>th</sup> December 1733 aged about 55.

Lascells Metcalfe died 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1740, aged 78, from 1697 his occupation was given as upholsterer.

6th October 1742. *The Copy of the last will of Lascells Metcalfe late of Crutched Friars in the City of London deceased appointing his son Lascells Metcalfe jnr. his sole executor (bequeathing fifty shares of this Company's stock to his son Russell? (son in law Michael Russell, who joined the Company December 1741 by affirmation) and the remainder to his executor; likewise the Probate of said will in the Court of the Archbishop of Canterbury dated 10th October 1740 were shown to this Court and allowed.*

**Lascells Metcalfe jnr.** (merchant tailor) was elected to the Court of Assistants January 1744, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1755.

Lascells Metcalfe died 13<sup>th</sup> August 1781, aged 72 years, at Bloomsbury, Middlesex.

## **Captain John Werry**

Capt. John Werry took the oath appointed by the Charter 14<sup>th</sup> March 1727, and was admitted members of the Company, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 7<sup>th</sup> January 1731, he was last elected to the Court 1<sup>st</sup> January 1741.

Captain John Werry was Deputy Master of the Corporation of Trinity House 1729 to 1740

John Werry born about 1660

John Werry married Lilister (could be Silvester) Chambers 28<sup>th</sup> January 1685

**Children of John and Lilister Werry:**

1. Nathaniel baptised 25<sup>th</sup> January 1687, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey.
2. John baptised 16<sup>th</sup> October 1689, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey

3. Jane buried 8<sup>th</sup> September 1702, died? not mentioned in the Will of John Werry snr.

John Werry was buried 7<sup>th</sup> January 1741, at St George the Martyr, Southwark, Surrey. Captain John Werry Mariner of Southwark will dated 26<sup>th</sup> August 1740, proved 20<sup>th</sup> July 1741

**1. Captain Nathaniel Werry** elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1743 last elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753 to serve for the year 1754.

Captain Nathaniel Werry was elected Elder Brother of Trinity House 1747

Nathaniel Werry married Ann Chambers 4<sup>th</sup> March 1708, at Saint Benet Pauls Wharf, London.

**Children of Nathaniel and Ann Werry:**

1. John baptised 15<sup>th</sup> January 1709, at St Olave, Southwark, married Jane Werry 15<sup>th</sup> July 1735, at St Benet Pauls Wharf, London.
2. Lilister born and baptised 17<sup>th</sup> August 1711, at Saint Olave, Southwark, buried 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1714, at Saint Olave, Southwark
3. Jane born 24<sup>th</sup> April 1713, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1713, at St Olave, Bermondsey, Southwark. Jane married William Finkell (Baker) 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1741, at St John Horselydown, Bermondsey
4. Ann baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1714, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1714, at Saint Olave, Southwark, married Henry Ryall 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1740, at St John Horselydown, Bermondsey
5. Nathaniel born 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1715, baptised 7<sup>th</sup> January 1715, at Saint Olave, Southwark, buried 10<sup>th</sup> January 1715, at Saint Olave, Southwark
6. Nathaniel born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1717, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> May 1717, at Saint Olave, Southwark, died?
7. Richard baptised 16<sup>th</sup> June 1718, buried 9<sup>th</sup> April 1719, at Saint Olave, Southwark
8. Nathaniel born 26<sup>th</sup> February 1719, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> March 1719, at Saint Olave, Southwark, buried 5<sup>th</sup> September 1719, at Saint Olave, Southwark

Ann Werry buried 12<sup>th</sup> May 1742, at St Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey

Nathaniel Werry buried 13<sup>th</sup> November 1755, at St John, Horselydown, Southwark. will dated 24<sup>th</sup> September 1755.

**John Knight**

John Knight signed the declaration to become a member of the Company September 1705, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1732, he was last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1740.

John Knight of the inner Temple Will dated 25<sup>th</sup> February 1740, codicil 16<sup>th</sup> May 1740 Probate 18<sup>th</sup> January 1741/2. His will did not mention any family.

## **Thomas Gordon**

Thomas Gordon took the oath appointed by the Charter 8<sup>th</sup> January 1734. He was first elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> January 1733, and served up until December 1737, he was next elected 6<sup>th</sup> January 1744, last elected 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1746.

## **Thomas Gordon of Upper Brook Street, Middlesex**

He was born in Kirkcudbright about 1691 he was a writer of Pamphlets and translated "Tacitus". Robert Walpole made Thomas Gordon first commissioner of the wine licenses, a post which he held till his death.

Gordon was twice married, his second wife was the widow of John Trenchard, he had three children by his first wife, Thomas Gordon, barrister of the middle Temple, William Gordon and Patty Gordon

Thomas Gordon died 28<sup>th</sup> July 1750, will dated 26<sup>th</sup> July 1749, Probate 8<sup>th</sup> August 1750.

## **Jacob Harvey**

Jacob Harvey took the oath he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> January 1733 he was last elected to the 6<sup>th</sup> January 1744.

Jacob Harvey son of Jacob and Catharine Harvey, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> October 1686, at St Olave, Bermondsey

Jacob Harvey Esquire, married Mary Clay, 17<sup>th</sup> January 1715, at St Lawrence, Pountney.

### **Children of Jacob and Mary Harvey:**

Samuel Clay Harvey baptised 26<sup>th</sup> October 1716, at St Lawrence, Pountney,  
Elizabeth baptised 21<sup>st</sup> May 1718, at St Lawrence, Pountney, married Charles Wheeler 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1740

William baptised 4<sup>th</sup> August 1719, at St Lawrence, Pountney

Mary baptised 17<sup>th</sup> April 1721, at St Lawrence, Pountney

Jacob baptised 6<sup>th</sup> March 1723, at St Lawrence, Pountney

Jacob Harvey of Cookham Berkshire buried 17<sup>th</sup> April 1769, at St Margaret, Uxbridge, Middlesex will dated 6<sup>th</sup> July 1768, Probate 19<sup>th</sup> April 1769.

## **William Hodgson**

William Hodgson signed declaration and was first elected to the Court of Assistants 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1734 last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753.

William Hodgson citizen and Tallow Chandler, son of Samuel, Hodgson late of Scarborough, mariner, deceased and his wife Eleanor now wife of William Daile, married Elizabeth Crafton, daughter of Richard Crafton, Felt maker, 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1712, at Horselydown meeting, London.

### Children of William and Elizabeth Hodgson:

Ellinor/Eleanor born 1<sup>st</sup> December 1713, died 17<sup>th</sup> December 1713.

William born 20<sup>th</sup> November 1714, at Southwark

Richard born 11<sup>th</sup> August 1717, at Billingsgate

Mary, born 21<sup>st</sup> November 1722, at Billingsgate, married George Hyam, merchant, son of Thomas Hyam, merchant 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1747, at Devonshire House meeting.

Peter born 4<sup>th</sup> August 1725, at Billingsgate

Elinor/Eleanor born 30<sup>th</sup> September 1720, at Billingsgate, married Joseph James, Indigo maker, 17<sup>th</sup> December 1760, at Gracechurch St., meeting.

Thomas born 11<sup>th</sup> November 1726, at Billingsgate

Francis born 14<sup>th</sup> March 1728, at Billingsgate

Elizabeth Hodgson died 18<sup>th</sup> April 1734, buried at Long Lane, Southwark.

Eleanor Daile his mother died 17<sup>th</sup> December 1742 aged about 91, buried at Long Lane, Southwark.

William Hodgson of St Botolph, Billingsgate, died 28<sup>th</sup> November 1754, aged 72, buried 12<sup>th</sup> November 1754 at Long Lane next to his deceased wife.

His Will was dated 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1754 probate 5<sup>th</sup> December 1754



Indenture 1698 William Hodgson

## **Robert Brown or Browne**

Took the Oath 20<sup>th</sup> January 1730 to become a member of the Company, first elected to the Court of Assistants 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1735, last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1762.

Robert Brown, Citizen and Skinner of London, was buried 21<sup>st</sup> January 1762, at Christ Church, Spitalfields, his Will was dated 13<sup>th</sup> April 1759, Probate 17<sup>th</sup> February 1762

### **Children**

1. Robert
2. Mary married Francis Cooper (son of Francis Cooper, Governor of the Company)  
His left his daughter Mary Cooper the dividends from his Lead Company Shares, and on her decease the Shares were to be equally divided among her children.

## **John Peele**

John Peele took the oath he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1737, he was last elected to the Court 6<sup>th</sup> January 1743

Tobacco Cooper

John Peele was buried 10<sup>th</sup> April 1763, at All Hallows, City of London, will dated 25<sup>th</sup> November 1762, probate 13<sup>th</sup> April 1763.

## **Clement Bellamy**

Clement Bellamy was first elected to the Court of Assistants in 1<sup>st</sup> January 1741, he was last elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1748

Merchant of London

Clement Bellamy baptised 12<sup>th</sup> January 1696, at St Mary at Hill, London, son of Humphry and Mary (nee Hopkins, married 7<sup>th</sup> October 1679) Bellamy

Clement Bellamy married Susanna Jones, 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1724, at St James Garlickhythe, London.

Susanna Bellamy (living at Billingsgate) died 17<sup>th</sup> November 1726, aged 26, buried 24<sup>th</sup> November 1726, at Lee, St Margaret

Clement Bellamy married Mary Stafford 25<sup>th</sup> May 1728, at St Pauls Cathedral, London.

### **Children of Clement and Mary Bellamy:**

1. Clement baptised 7<sup>th</sup> January 1732, at St Mary at Hill, London, buried 28<sup>th</sup> January at Lee, St Margaret
2. Mary baptised 24<sup>th</sup> October 1736, at St Mary at Hill, London, married William James, banker, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1759, at Holy Trinity, Clapham.
3. Clement baptised 28<sup>th</sup> April 1738, at St Mary at Hill, London, buried 1<sup>st</sup> June 1810, at St Margaret, Lee terrace, Lewisham aged 72.
4. Sarah baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1740, at St Mary at Hill, London
5. Edward of St Mary at Hill, buried 11<sup>th</sup> August 1741, at Lee, St Margaret
6. Ann baptised 17<sup>th</sup> April 1743, at St Mary at Hill, London, buried 19<sup>th</sup> October 1744, at Lee, St Margaret

Clement Bellamy died 21<sup>st</sup> June 1748, buried 30<sup>th</sup> June 1748, at Lee, St Margaret  
 Mary Bellamy died 13<sup>th</sup> March 1744/5, buried 20<sup>th</sup> March 1744/5, at Lee, St Margaret

### St Margaret Church at Lee, Blackheath

<https://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/research/monumental-inscriptions/lee>

*An altar tomb. Here lies interred the body of Mrs Susannah Bellamy wife of Clement Bellamy of London merchant who departed this life November 17<sup>th</sup> 1726 aetatis 26 as also of Mrs Mary Bellamy his second wife obiit 13th March 1744 aged 41 years. Also, her two sons and one daughter.*

*Also here lies the body of Mrs Sarah Stafford wife of Edward Stafford of Gosport in the county of Hants., gent. mother of the above said Mary Bellamy obiit 22nd April 1745 aged 80 years.*

*As also the body of Mr Clement Bellamy husband to the above Susannah and Mary Bellamy who departed this life the 21st June 1748 aged 52 years.*

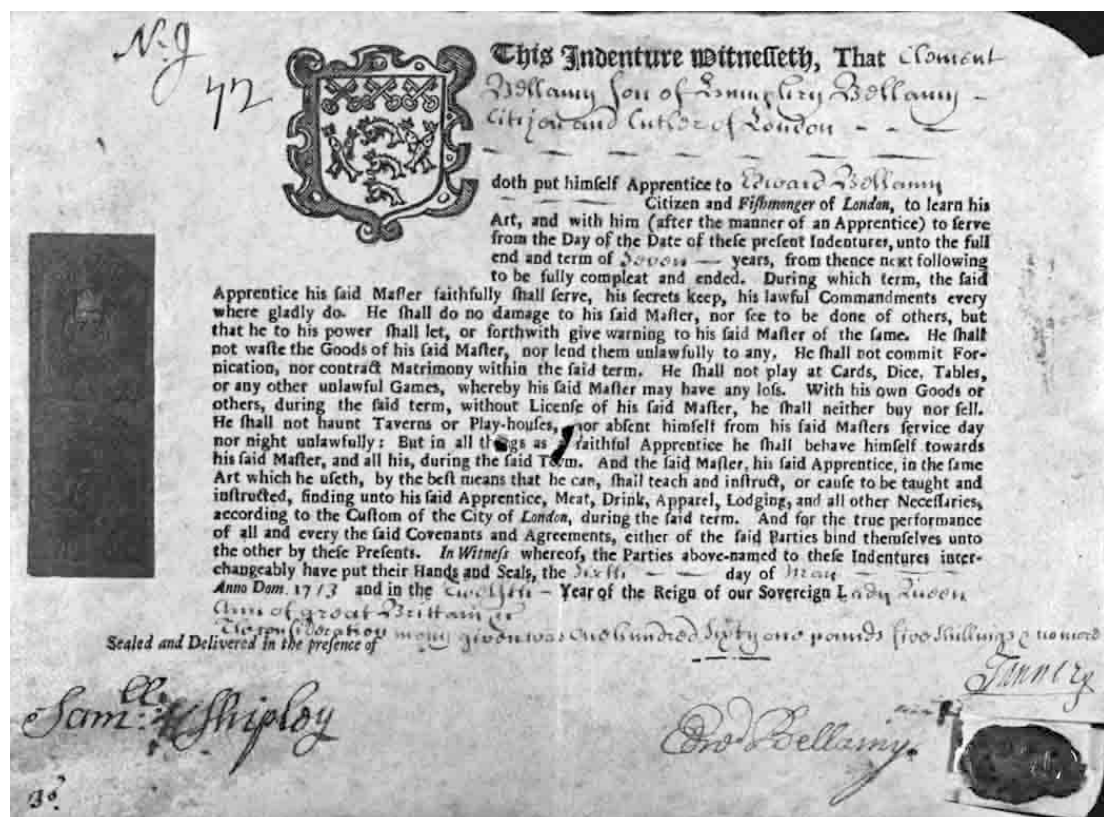
*And likewise, the body of Mr Edward Stafford who died March 17th 1763 aged 65 years.*

*Also, the body of Mrs Mary James wife of Mr William James of London banker daughter of the above said Clement and Mary Bellamy obiit March 5th 1773 aged 36 years.*

*Also, the body of Mr Clement Bellamy son of the above said Clement and Mary Bellamy who died May 27th aged 72 years.*

*Also, William James Esq. (one of the fellows of the Royal and Antiquarian Societies and formerly a banker in Lombard Street) who died December 12th 1786 in the 67th year of his age.*

*Also, the body of Susannah James daughter of the above William James who departed this life 17th May 1791 aged 21.*



Clement Bellamy Indenture 1713

**Waldo Du Bois** *See the Du Bois family in Governor Charles Du Bois*

Waldo Du Bois took oath and was first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1741; he was last elected 5<sup>th</sup> January 1748.

Waldo worked in the East India office as a boy in 1713, then 3 years later he was sent to China as a writer to the Supercargoes, he was involved in an attempt to defraud the East India Co. in 1730.

Waldo Du Bois a haberdasher of hats, near Bow church, Cheapside, London in 1740

Waldo Du Bois was buried 28<sup>th</sup> February 1746/7 at St Peter and St Paul, Mitcham, Surrey.

Waldo Du Bois, his will dated 27<sup>th</sup> November 1728, (he was about to undertake a voyage to China) gave one third of his estate to his Mother Mary Du Bois, One third to his sister Mary Du Bois, and one third to his sister Sarah Charlotte Du Bois. Probate 4<sup>th</sup> June 1747.

**John Plant**

John Plant signed the declaration and became a member of the Company February 1729, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1746, he was last elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1748

Linen Draper of St James Westminster

John Plant married Hannah Wheeler.

**Children.**

1. John born 25<sup>th</sup> January 1716, died 1<sup>st</sup> December 1719, buried at Long Acre (smallpox)
2. Davis born 19<sup>th</sup> February 1718, died 10<sup>th</sup> October 1718, buried 14<sup>th</sup> December 1718, at Long Acre (Convulsions)
3. Elizabeth born 20<sup>th</sup> July 1720, died 11<sup>th</sup> April 1720, buried at Long Acre (Convulsions)
4. John born 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1721, died 9<sup>th</sup> October 1725, buried at Long Acre (Consumption)
5. Samuel died 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1722, buried at Long Acre (Gripes)
6. Hannah Plant born 10<sup>th</sup> October 1726, married William Fry, of Bristol, a Grocer 10<sup>th</sup> July 1748, at Westminster
7. Mary born 20<sup>th</sup> February 1729, died 5<sup>th</sup> October 1729, buried at Long Acre (Convulsions)

John Plant of the Parish of St James, Westminster, Linen Draper died 24<sup>th</sup> May 1748, aged 56, buried 29<sup>th</sup> May 1748, at Bunhill Fields. Probate 7<sup>th</sup> June 1748

Hannah Plant died 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1756, aged 65, buried at Bunhill Fields.



## John Tucker

John Tucker first elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1748, he was last elected to the Court 26<sup>th</sup> December 1777 for the year 1778, he loaned the company £1000 in April 1764

Member of Parliament for Weymouth and Melcombe Regis 1735 – 1747, and 1754 – 1778

John Tucker was baptised 12<sup>th</sup> October 1701, at Melcombe Regis, Dorset, son of Edward Tucker M.P. He married Martha Gallop 27<sup>th</sup> September 1731, at Swyre, Dorset.

Martha Tucker was buried 25<sup>th</sup> September 1769, at Stower-Provost, Dorset

John Tucker died 9<sup>th</sup> October 1779, buried 11<sup>th</sup> October 1779 at Swyre, Dorset, his Will was dated 1<sup>st</sup> March 1777, Probate 8<sup>th</sup> December 1779.

<https://amp.en.google-info.org/55326207/1/john-tucker-mp.html>

*John Tucker was an English politician who sat in the House of Commons between 1735 and 1778. Tucker was the son of Edward Tucker. He married Martha Gollop daughter of George Gollop, of Berwick, Dorset. Tucker was the mayor of Weymouth in 1726 and 1732. He entered Parliament on 28 February 1735 as member of Parliament for Weymouth and Melcombe Regis, when George Dodington bubbles decided to sit for Bridgwater. He succeeded his father in 1739 and, like his father, he followed Dodington, to join him to take control of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis of Walpole in 1741. Dodington was the General political fixer. In 1744 Tucker became the cashier of the Treasurer of the Navy. He did not stand at the General election 1747 because his office became incompatible with a seat in the House of Commons in accordance with the law of the place in 1742. In 1754 Tucker was mayor of Weymouth and in the General election of 1754 was elected to the Weymouth and Melcombe Regis. He was appointed Treasurer of the Marines in 1757, and held this post until his death. He was re-elected Deputy of Weymouth in 1761.*

*He was again mayor of Weymouth in 1763. He was appointed Keeper of the private roads of the king, in 1770, and held the post until his death. He was the mayor of Weymouth in 1772.*

## Thomas Salter

Thomas Salter was elected to the Court of Assistants 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1749, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1753.

Clerk of the Royal Household at St. James's Palace

Thomas Salter married Ann Williams 14<sup>th</sup> October 1736, at St George's Chapel, Mayfair.

### **Children of Thomas and Ann Salter:**

1. Edward, born 28<sup>th</sup> April 1742, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> May 1742, at St James, Westminster, The Rev. Edward Salter married Delitia Barton 18<sup>th</sup> May 1778 at St Peter's, Stourton, Wiltshire.

2. Henrietta born 1<sup>st</sup> September 1743, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> September 1743, at St James, Westminster

3. Margaret Ann born 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1744, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> November 1744, at the Chapel Royal at St James Palace, married Rev. Robert Bunce 29<sup>th</sup> October 1778, at St 4. George, Hanover Square.

4. Philippa

Ann Salter was buried 25<sup>th</sup> July 1745, at St George, Hanover Square.

Thomas Salter married Philippa Parsons I have not found a record of this marriage or the baptism of his daughter Philippa.

Thomas Salter of Clarges Street, in the parish of St Georges, Hanover Square buried 27<sup>th</sup> September 1761, at St Mary, Hampton, Richmond, his Will was dated 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1758, Probate 3<sup>rd</sup> November 1761.

Phillipa Salter, Widow, was buried 8<sup>th</sup> November 1779, at St George, Hanover Square.

The following is from "The Genesis of Edward Salter aetatis 6" by Gordon Balderston, The Georgian Group Journal, Vol. X, 2000, pp 175-205.

*Thomas Salter (1713-1761) was christened in St. Martin-in-the-Fields, London, on 1 May 1713, the eldest child of Edward Salter and Ann Peach. He was educated at Westminster School from 1720 until 1732, when he was elected Student of Christ Church, Oxford; he graduated in 1736. On 14 October 1736, in St. George's Chapel at Hyde Park Corner, Thomas Salter married Ann Williams, daughter of Roger Williams, a friend of his father's. She gave birth to nine children, but only Edward, Henrietta, Margaret Ann and Philippa seem to have survived childhood. The newly-wed couple moved into a house in Cleveland Row, opposite St. James's Palace, where they lived until 1758, by which time they also had lodgings at Hampton Court Palace<sup>1</sup>. Their house 'against St. James's Stables' was on the east corner with Russell Court and the third house from St. James's Street. Roger Williams's coffee house was the third house up from the corner with Cleveland Row (part of the highway running between Charing Cross and Hyde Park).*

*Thomas Salter was appointed to the Royal Household at St. James's Palace in October 1737 as 'Clerk of the Green Cloth, in room of the late Mr. Morrison. Strictly speaking, he was one of four Under Clerks of the Board of Green Cloth working for the four Principal Clerks. He remained at this level until his death on 22 September 1761, by which time he was the most senior of the Under Clerks; obituaries refer to him as 'Senior Clerk to the Board of Green Cloth'. The Board of Green Cloth was in charge of the domestic, financial and judicial administration of the Royal Household (as opposed to the court, which was run by the Lord Chamberlain).*

*Thomas Salter inherited his father-in-law's fortune upon Roger Williams's death in January 1747, part of this inheritance was Williams's Coffee House at 86 St. James's Street, London.*

## **William Ockenden**

William Ockenden snr., signed the declaration 16<sup>th</sup> May 1706, and was admitted a member of the Company he had 170 shares at the time of his death in 1721.

William Ockenden of Gracechurch St., Citizen and Pattenmaker son of William Ockenden of Kent, Chemist married Mary Simes, daughter of Elias Simes, upholsterer, of Westminster, 6<sup>th</sup> July 1697, at Savoy, London. He was the Master of The Worshipful Company of Pattenmakers is a City of London Livery Company in 1710. (*Patten a shoe or clog with a raised sole or set on an iron ring, worn to raise one's feet above wet or muddy ground*)

**Children of William and Mary Ockenden:**

1. Elias died 9<sup>th</sup> October 1698, aged about half a year.
2. Mary born 14<sup>th</sup> March 1699
3. William born?
4. Elias born 26<sup>th</sup> February 1706

William Ockenden snr., late of Gracechurch Street, London, Leather seller, died 1<sup>st</sup> December 1721, aged 56, buried 5<sup>th</sup> December 1721 at Bunhill Fields.

**1. William Ockenden** was elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1750, he was last elected 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754 to serve for the year 1755.

William Ockenden was living in Ireland until he inherited property (in 1739 and 1741) from his maternal uncles Elias Simes of Hurley, Berks. and John Simes of Chiswick.

Member of Parliament for Great Marlow 1744 - 1754

An engineer (of Canals), maker of copper and brass utensils at Temple Mills, across the river from Marlow, he acquired a political interest in that borough through his workmen, he was the owner of mills in Weybridge.

William Ockendon of Weybridge, Surrey, died 1761 Will dated 4<sup>th</sup> January 1755, Codicil dated 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 1761 Probate 2<sup>nd</sup> July 1761

<https://www.periodportraits.com/portrait-of-william-ockenden-of-temple-mills-berkshire>



**William Ockenden**

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The Gentleman's and London Magazine: and monthly chronologer MDCCLXI [1761] Volume XXX,  
List of Deaths for the Year 1761 [...] July 2. *In London, William Ockenden Esq; member in two parliaments for Great Marlow in Bucks, and engineer of the inland navigation in this kingdom, which he executed with great judgment and integrity.*

### **Henry Marshall**

Henry Marshall took the oath and became a member of the Company, 14<sup>th</sup> December 1731, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants, 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1753, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754.

Mr Henry Marshall, was buried in the Vault of St Benet Fink, City of London, 31<sup>st</sup> January 1758. Henry Marshall Citizen, and Painter and Stainer, Will dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 1757, Codicil 25<sup>th</sup> August 1757. Probate 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1758. His will did not mention a wife or any children.

### **Deputy James Ennis**

James Ennis first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1756 to serve for the year 1757

Citizen and Tallow Chandler of London, and Deputy for Walbrook Ward, London.

#### **Children mentioned in his Will:**

Mary married Morphey Yerraway 9<sup>th</sup> October 1754, at St Alban Wood St., London.  
Margaret Ennis married Abraham Haigh, 7<sup>th</sup> July 1764, at All Hallows, London.  
granddaughter Elizabeth Browne, son in law Robert Browne

Deputy James Ennis was buried 14<sup>th</sup> November 1764, at St John the Baptist upon Walbrook, City of London. Will dated 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1761. Probate 29<sup>th</sup> November 1764.

### **William Palmer**

William Palmer took the oath and was admitted as a member of the Company November 1741, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754, last elected 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1764, he loaned the company £500 in April 1764.

### **William Pitts**

William Pitts first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1754, he was last elected 1<sup>st</sup> January 1759

William Pitts, distiller son of William Pitts Distiller, married Susannah Fallowfield daughter of John Fallowfield, 26<sup>th</sup> April 1733, at Devonshire House.

#### **Children of William and Susannah Pitts:**

John died 10<sup>th</sup> April 1735 aged about 3 weeks.

Susannah Pitts wife of William died 12<sup>th</sup> April 1735, aged 22, in child bed.

William Pitts, distiller son of William Pits Distiller, married Mary Daile relict of Peter Daile, Tobacconist deceased 19<sup>th</sup> July 1741, at Horselydown, Southwark.

### Children of William and Mary Pitts:


1. Sarah born 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1745, died 1<sup>st</sup> August 1755, aged 10, buried at Worcester Street in The Park, Southwark
2. Elizabeth born 18<sup>th</sup> November 1746, died 5<sup>th</sup> April 1749, aged 2, buried at Worcester Street in The Park, Southwark
3. Susannah born 9<sup>th</sup> November 1748, died 1<sup>st</sup> April 1749, aged 1, buried at Worcester Street in The Park, Southwark
4. Priscilla born 20<sup>th</sup> January 1749, John Dimsdale snr. of Hitchin, Surgeon, son of Joseph Dimsdale, surgeon deceased, married Priscilla Pitts 10<sup>th</sup> August 1773.
5. Mary Daile daughter of Peter and Mary Daile, step daughter of William Pitts married Samuel Scott, Maltster 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1754, at Horselydown, Southwark.

Mary Pitts wife of William Pitts, died 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1750, aged 36, buried at Worcester Street in The Park, Southwark

William Pitts, died 15<sup>th</sup> May 1760, aged 51, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1760, a at Worcester Street in The Park, Southwark, his will was Will dated 12<sup>th</sup> December 1755, and Codicils of 29<sup>th</sup> June 1759, and 27<sup>th</sup> February 1760, Probate 8<sup>th</sup> June 1760.

## Peter Stapel

Peter Stapel was first elected to the Court of Assistants, 31<sup>st</sup> December 1756, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1784. He loaned the company £500 in April 1764.

Memorial in the Dutch Church Austin Friars London	
	
Middle of North Aisle	
Hier legt begraven	Here lies buried
Vrouwe ANN STAPEL,	Lady Ann Stapel
(geboren Emilie) Huisvrouw van	(born Emilie) wife of
De Heer PETER STAPEL.	Mr Peter Stapel
Zy is gestorven te Putney	She died in Putney
in Sarry den 29 April, 1795,	in Surrey the 29th April 1795
Oudt 88 Jaaren.	aged 88 years
Als meede gezegde Heer	As said Mr
PETER STAPEL	Peter Stapel
geweezene voornaame	the former distinguished
Koopman tot London.	Merchant of London
Overleeden te Putney,	died in Putney
den 10 November, 1801.	the 10 November 1801
Oudt 92 Jaren.	Aged 92 years

Peter Stapel, son of Revnier Stapel, by Anna his wife, born in Amsterdam, was Naturalised 21<sup>st</sup> March 1733.

Peter Stapel married Anne Emilie 16<sup>th</sup> November 1748, at St Benet Paul's Wharf, London, they did not have any children.

His Will dated 1<sup>st</sup> July 1795 with Codicils dated 28<sup>th</sup> December 1797, Probate 14<sup>th</sup> November 1801. His will indicates that he had 180 shares in the Company

## **John Miers**

John Miers was first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1759, he was last elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> January 1780. he loaned the company £500 in April 1764.

John Miers Tin Plate Manufacturer & Merchant, in his will dated 30<sup>th</sup> April 1779, he gave his shares in the Company to his daughter Ann Lettsom

John Miers of London, Citizen and Tin Plate, worker son of Nathaniel Miers, Tin Plate worker (Nathaniel had 30 shares in the Company in 1730), married Ann Jackson, daughter of Thomas Jackson, Vintner, 20<sup>th</sup> November 1740, at the Devonshire House meeting.

### **Children of John and Ann Miers:**

1. Mary born 20<sup>th</sup> October 1741, married William Archer, Goldsmith, 4<sup>th</sup> August 1763
2. Sarah born 9<sup>th</sup> January 1743, died 30<sup>th</sup> June 1743, buried at Bunhill Fields 5<sup>th</sup> August 1743.
3. Nathaniel born 13<sup>th</sup> March 1746, married Rachel Cox, 8<sup>th</sup> November 1770, at St Peter, Carmarthen, Nathaniel was buried 30<sup>th</sup> December 1782, at St Thomas, Neath, Glamorganshire
4. John born 16<sup>th</sup> March 1747, married Mary Heathcote 16<sup>th</sup> April 1772, he died 28<sup>th</sup> March 1787, aged 42
5. Ann born 18<sup>th</sup> June 1748, married John Coakley Lettsom, Doctor of Physic 31<sup>st</sup> July 1770

Ann Miers died 28<sup>th</sup> April 1752, aged 29, buried 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1752, at Bunhill Fields.

John Miers died 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1780, aged 70, buried 13<sup>th</sup> April 1780, at Bunhill Fields

*In 1741 John Miers of Cannon St, London had bought into the tin plate company at Ynyspenllwch, he introduced tinplate manufacture, the first rolling mill in the Swansea valley. The Miers family built the house at Ynyspenllwch, John Miers was followed by his sons Henry (died before 1780) and John Nathaniel (died 1787) and then by John Nathaniel Miers II (died 1814). Miers bought the works site from the Gnoll estate in 1801. When John Nathaniel II died in 1814 leaving an 11 year old son Richard Hill Miers (1803-55), the works closed, the equipment being sold in 1817. The Miers retained ownership and the works were re-opened leased from 1825 to W. Llewellyn, then from 1859 to Henry Strick his son-in-law, and from 1865-71 to the Ynyspenllwch Tinplate Co. The industry faltered in the later C19 and the works finally closed by 1920. The Miers family owned Ynyspenllwch until 1914, Richard Hanbury Miers (died 1870), then Henry Nathaniel Miers (1848-1926) who sold the estate.*

Source: [http://www.swansea.gov.uk/media/3192/LB502---Schedule/pdf/LB502\\_-\\_Manor\\_Park\\_Country\\_House.pdf](http://www.swansea.gov.uk/media/3192/LB502---Schedule/pdf/LB502_-_Manor_Park_Country_House.pdf)

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Reference: GB 3167 NAS M 1/3/1 8<sup>th</sup> May 1780

*Attested copy deed of covenant for confirming the will of John Miers dec'd and indemnifying the executors; release of the dower of Mrs. Miers and the release of Mr. Archer's interest in the estate of John Miers dated 8 May 1780; i) Molly Miers of Jewry Street, Oldgate parish, London, widow and relict of John Miers, late citizen and tinplate worker of London; ii) Nathaniel Miers of Mitcham, Surrey, gent. (eldest son of John Miers) and his wife Rachel; iii) John Miers of Cannon Street, London, tin merchant (younger son of John Miers) and his wife Mary; iv) John Coakley Lettsom of the city of London, doctor of physic and his wife Ann (only surviving daughter of John Miers); v) William Archer of Norfolk Street, St. Clement Danes parish, Middlesex esq. (trustee and executor of John Miers); vi) Daniel Mildred of White Hart Court, Gracechurch Street, London, banker (trustee and executor of John Miers).*

### **Devereux Bowly**

Deveraux Bowly was first elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1761, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1771 to serve for the year 1772

Devereux Bowly, member of the Society of Friends, Clock Maker of Lombard Street, London, well known maker of Repeating Clocks.

Devereux Bowly died 15<sup>th</sup> March 1773, aged 77, buried 21<sup>st</sup> March 1773, at Whitechapel, he had no children. His will dated 17<sup>th</sup> July 1772, probated 24<sup>th</sup> March 1773.

### **James Champain**

James Champion was first elected to the Court of assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1761, he was last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1775, to serve for the year 1776

James Champain married Hannah Hawkins (Nineteen at the time of marriage) 29<sup>th</sup> May 1744, at St Anne and St Agnes Aldersgate, London.

#### **Children of James and Hannah Champain:**

1. James born 25<sup>th</sup> April 1745, baptised 14<sup>th</sup> May 1745, at St Dunstan in the East, London. Went to the East Indies, according to his fathers will he made a great fortune.
2. Elizabeth born 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1748, baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> September 1748, at St Dunstan in the East, London. Elizabeth married William Edwards 4<sup>th</sup> April 1772, at St Stephen, Coleman St., London. Died 1783?
3. John born 15<sup>th</sup> July 1750, baptised 20<sup>th</sup> August 1750, at St Dunstan in the East, London. Went to the East Indies

4. Ann born 13<sup>th</sup> January 1755, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> February 1755, at St Dunstan in the East, London, she married William Horabin 21<sup>st</sup> November 1782, St. Thomas The Apostle, Exeter, Devon
5. William Burgandy baptised 4<sup>th</sup> May 1759, at All Saints, Edmonton, Enfield, at the time of his fathers will he was a Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, at the time of his death about 1818 he was a Post Captain.
6. Sally baptised 16<sup>th</sup> February 1761, at St Alfege, Greenwich, Kent, married William Walker 9<sup>th</sup> May 1801, at St George, Bloomsbury
7. George Hawkins born 25<sup>th</sup> June 1764, baptised 30<sup>th</sup> July 1764
8. Frances born 19<sup>th</sup> July 1765, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> August 1765, at St James, Weybridge, Surrey, she married Joseph Fletcher , marriage bond dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 1790
9. Thomas born 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1766, baptised 10<sup>th</sup> August 1766, at St James, Weybridge, Surrey, not mentioned in his fathers will.

James Champain Wine Merchant and Wine Cooper, of London moved to Weymouth in Dorset in the mid 1770's.

Hannah Champain was buried 27<sup>th</sup> October 1774, at Clifton, Gloucester

James Champain married Ann Andrews 1<sup>st</sup> June 1775, at St Giles Without, Cripplegate. This was Ann Andrews (nee Hankins) second marriage her 1<sup>st</sup> husband William Eaton Andrews was buried 1<sup>st</sup> April 1773, she had a daughter Sarah Eaton Andrews (married James Dowsett Rose Clealand).

James Champion of Red Borough, Weymouth, Dorset, died 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1785, will dated 4<sup>th</sup> April 1781, Codicil dated 9<sup>th</sup> October 1784.

Ann Champain died at Nottinghill, Kensington, April 1837, aged 83.

### **Thomas Thomas jnr.**

Thomas Thomas jnr was elected to the Court of Assistants 5<sup>th</sup> January 1761, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1764 for the year 1765, he loaned the company £500 in April 1764

### **16th February 1748 LLC 10**

*The Probate of the will of Thomas Thomas late of the Parish of St Martin Orgar, London deceased, under the seal of the prerogative Court of Canterbury appointing Peter Thomas & Thomas Thomas the sons of the said deceased executors was exhibited & allowed.*

Thomas Thomas Snr., had 8 shares in the Company in 1730, he did not serve on the Court of Assistants.

### **Children of Thomas Thomas snr., and his wife Martha:**

1. Peter, Peter married Mary Rebecca Flower 30<sup>th</sup> July 1724, at St Dionis Backchurch, London. Peter Thomas was buried 5<sup>th</sup> September 1764, at St Martin Orgar, City of London. Rebecca Thomas was buried 9<sup>th</sup> September 1793, aged 90 at St Martin Ogar

### **2. Thomas jnr**

3. Jane aged 22 married John Pigou 13<sup>th</sup> June 1724, at St Martins in the Fields

4. Elizabeth

5. Margaret



Martha Thomas (wife of Thomas Thomas snr) buried 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1748, at St Martin Orgar, City of London

Thomas Thomas Elder Merchant of London died 10<sup>th</sup> December 1748, buried 16<sup>th</sup> December 1748, at St Martin Orgar, City of London. probate 7<sup>th</sup> January 1748/9

**2. Thomas Thomas jnr.**, of Suffolk Lane, London died about 1792, his Will with Codicils dated 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1791, Probate 5<sup>th</sup> May 1792. No marriage found and no children mentioned in his will.

## **Daniel Mildred**

Daniel Mildred first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1764, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1787.

Tobacco merchant and Banker, also Trustee of the 'Society for Annuities increasing to the Survivor'

Daniel Mildred, Merchant son of Thomas Mildred, married Lydia Daniel daughter of Thomas Daniel 30<sup>th</sup> June 1756, at Bristol.

### **Children of Daniel and Lydia Mildred:**

1. Thomas born 10<sup>th</sup> July 1757, at St Botolph Bishopsgate, died 10<sup>th</sup> November 1816, buried 17<sup>th</sup> November 1816, at Long Lane, Bermondsey
2. Lidia born 7<sup>th</sup> October 1758, at St Botolph Bishopsgate, married Rev. H W R Birch
3. Rebecca born 13<sup>th</sup> December 1760, at Allhallows, Staining, Middlesex, died?
4. Sarah born 24<sup>th</sup> December 1762, at Allhallows, Staining, Middlesex
5. **Daniel** born 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1769 at Allhallows, Staining, Middlesex
6. Samuel born 29<sup>th</sup> December 1772, at Allhallows, Staining, Middlesex
7. Robert born 19<sup>th</sup> June 1775, at Allhallows, Staining, Middlesex, died 4<sup>th</sup> February 1810, aged 35, buried 11<sup>th</sup> February 1810, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire, (not in membership).
8. Rebecca born 8<sup>th</sup> October 1776, at St Olaves Hart Street London, buried 25<sup>th</sup> December 1778, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.
9. Martha born 29<sup>th</sup> August 1778, at St Olaves Hart Street London, died 27<sup>th</sup> November 1825, aged 28 at the City of York.
10. Mildred born 29<sup>th</sup> August 1778, at St Olaves Hart Street London, married John Hustler, Esq of Undercliffe, at York Meeting House.

Daniel Mildred died 9<sup>th</sup> February 1788, aged 56, buried 17<sup>th</sup> February 1788, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.

Lydia Mildred, widow died 20<sup>th</sup> July 1810, aged 72, buried 29<sup>th</sup> July 1810, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.

## **5. Daniel Mildred snr**

Daniel Mildred of Lombard street, Banker, son of Daniel Mildred Banker deceased and Lydia his wife, married Elizabeth Harman daughter of John Harman of London Merchant, 15<sup>th</sup> September 1790, at London.

### **Children of Daniel and Elizabeth Mildred:**

- 5/1. still born child buried 8th October 1791, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.
- 5/2. Elizabeth born 4th October 1792, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/3. Lydia born 1st December 1793, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/4. Daniel** born 19th January 1795, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/5. Harriet born 16th July 1796, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex, buried 29th September 1796, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.
- 5/6. John born 3rd August 1797, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex, buried 19th September 1805, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.
- 5/7. Charles born 27th December 1798, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex, buried 12th May 1799, at Jordans, Buckinghamshire.
- 5/8. Hannah born 30th April 1800, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/9. Beatrice born 28th April 1801, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/10. Louisa born 26th April 1803, at Walthamstow
- 5/11. Emma born 7th June 1804, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/12. Henry born 18th September 1807, at Woodford
- 5/13. Maria born 13th January 1809, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex
- 5/14. Frederick born 26th December 1810, at St Luke Old St, Middlesex

Daniel Mildred, Banker buried 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1828 aged 58 years, at Woodford, Essex.  
Will proved 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1828.

Elizabeth Mildred relict of Daniel Mildred died 27<sup>th</sup> November 1838 aged 73, at Woodford, Essex.

**5/4. Daniel Mildred jnr** was elected to the Court of Assistants 17<sup>th</sup> May 1838, he was last elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> January 1858

Director of Imperial Life Insurance, and Partner in the bank of Masterman, Peters & Co.

Daniel Mildred married Emily Pearse (daughter of Brice Pearse) 8<sup>th</sup> May 1834, at Trinity, Marylebone.

#### **Children of Daniel and Emily Mildred:**

5/4/1. Charlotte E baptised 8<sup>th</sup> June 1837, at St Mary the Virgin, Essex, married William Henry Lance (Clergyman C of E) 10<sup>th</sup> April 1861, at St Peter, Woodmansterne, Surrey. She died 10<sup>th</sup> August 1914, aged 77, was buried 13<sup>th</sup> August 1914, at Buckland St Mary, Somerset.

5/4/2. Daniel, born 11<sup>th</sup> August baptised 30<sup>th</sup> August 1838, at St Mary the Virgin, Essex. Daniel married Emma Lucy Portman (daughter of Fitzharding Berkeley Portman Rector) 4<sup>th</sup> May 1865, at Staple Fitzpaine, Somerset, they had 5 children 4 girls and 1 boy. Daniel Mildred, Brewer and Landowner, died 28<sup>th</sup> December 1873 and was buried 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1874 aged 35, at Preston All Saints, Gloucester.

Emily Mildred was buried 19<sup>th</sup> November 1839, aged 34, at St Mary the Virgin, Essex  
In 1841, at Woodford, Essex, Daniel Mildred, Banker, aged 46, children, Charlotte 4, and Daniel 2.

Daniel Mildred married Rosa Gore 27<sup>th</sup> January 1848, at St Mary the Virgin, Essex  
In 1851, at 36 Southwark Place, Paddington, Daniel Mildred, Banker, aged 56, his wife Rosa aged 36, and daughter Charlotte E 13.

Daniel Mildred died 1<sup>st</sup> June 1858 and was buried 7<sup>th</sup> June 1858

Probate 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1858.

*The Will of Daniel Mildred late of Nicholas Lane in the City Of London and of 28 Montague square in the County of Middlesex Esquire Bunker deceased who died 1 June 1858 at Montague- square aforesaid was proved at the Principal Registry by the oaths of Rosa Mildred of 28 Montagu-square aforesaid Widow the Relict Frederic Mildred of Nicholas Lane aforesaid Banker the Brother and the Reverend Henry Mildred Birch of Prestwick Rectory in the County of Lancaster Clerk the Nephew the surviving Executors. Effects under £140,000.*

In 1861, at 8 Court Haw, Woodmansterne, Rosa Mildred, widow, aged 40, children, Charlotte E. 23, and Daniel 22.

Rosa Mildred died 29<sup>th</sup> November 1892, aged 79, buried 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1892, at St Peter, Woodmansterne, Surrey.

## **Edward Athawes**

Edward Athawes was first elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1765, he was not elected in 1766 he died in 1767.

Edward Athawes Virginia Tobacco Merchant of Saint Martin Orgar , City of London

Edward Athawes married Mary Gould 1<sup>st</sup> July 1727, at St Benet Pauls Wharf, London

### **Children of Edward and Mary Athawes**

1. Mary mentioned in both Edwards Will and her mother Marys will.
2. Elizabeth baptised 19<sup>th</sup> November 1731, at St Edmund The King and Martyr, Lombard St., London
3. Jane baptised 19<sup>th</sup> November 1731, at St Edmund The King and Martyr, Lombard St., London died before her fathers will was written
4. **Samuel** baptised 15<sup>th</sup> October 1734, at St Edmund The King and Martyr, Lombard St., London,
5. Edward baptised 8<sup>th</sup> December 1735, at St Edmund The King and Martyr, Lombard St., London. Edward married Jane Lee 28<sup>th</sup> September 1776, at St Mary, Marylebone, buried 25<sup>th</sup> May 1796, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey
6. Catherine born 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1737, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> January 1737, at St Martin Orgar and St Clement, London
7. Frances born 16<sup>th</sup> February 1740, at St Martin Orgar and St Clement, London
8. Thomas born 11<sup>th</sup> November 1741, baptised 18<sup>th</sup> December 1741, at St Martin Orgar and St Clement, London, buried 27<sup>th</sup> January 1742, at St Martin Orgar and St Clement
9. Peter born 13<sup>th</sup> October 1742, baptised 11<sup>th</sup> November 1742, at St Martin Orgar and St Clement, London.

Edward Athawes died 28<sup>th</sup> September 1767, and was buried 8<sup>th</sup> October 1767, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey.

Mary Athawes died 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1794, and was buried 30<sup>th</sup> July 1794, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey.



**Edward Athawes**  
by William Dickinson, after Robert Edge Pine  
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#### 4. Samuel Athawes

Samuel Athawes was first elected to the Court of Assistants 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1769, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1782

Samuel Athawes Tobacco merchant and Whig politician

Samuel Athawes married Elizabeth Hitchin, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1759, at St Thomas The Apostle, London.

Elizabeth Athawes aged 89, was buried 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1820, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey

Samuel Athawes aged 88, was buried 29<sup>th</sup> May 1822, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey.

#### William Mills

William Mills was first elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1766, he was last Elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1775 to serve for the year 1776.

Tin Plate Worker, he also had a share in a Copper Company at Bristol,

William Mills citizen and Tin Plate worker of London son of Michael Mills of Newbury, married Eleanor Bray daughter of Nathaniel Bray, Tanner, 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1737, at Horselydown, London.

**Children of William and Eleanor Mills:**

1. Sarah born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1739, died 8<sup>th</sup> July 1744, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1744, at Long Lane.
2. Eleanor born 6<sup>th</sup> October 1740, at Cannon Street, London, married John Hayter 15<sup>th</sup> October 1765, at St Martin In The Fields, Westminster
3. Sarah born 17<sup>th</sup> January 1745, at Cannon Street, died 8<sup>th</sup> March 1745, buried 13<sup>th</sup> March 1745, at Long Lane.
4. William born 29<sup>th</sup> January 1746, at Cannon Street.

Eleanor Mills died 31<sup>st</sup> August 1748, aged 33, buried 4<sup>th</sup> September 1748 at Long Lane.

William Mills citizen and Tin Plate worker of London son of Michael Mills of Newbury, Clothier, married Hannah Fossick, daughter of Thomas Fossick, farmer, 8<sup>th</sup> March 1749, at Gracechurch Street, London.

Hannah Mills died 7<sup>th</sup> February 1753, aged 50, buried 11<sup>th</sup> February 1753, at Bunhill Fields.

William Mills died 6<sup>th</sup> April 1781, aged 66, buried at Long Lane, Surrey. Will dated 11<sup>th</sup> December 1779, Codicil 9<sup>th</sup> January 1781, Probate 30<sup>th</sup> April 1781.

## **John Stiegler**

Deputy John Stiegler was first elected to the Court 28<sup>th</sup> December 1767, he was last elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> January 1773.

John Stiegler jnr., Cooper and Copperas Merchant (Copperas works at Tankerton, Whitstable) and Deputy of Dowgate Ward, London.

John Stiegler snr. married Mary Griffith, 17<sup>th</sup> August 1713, at St George, Esher, Surrey.

**Children of John and Mary Steigler:**

1. John baptised 1<sup>st</sup> October 1715, at St George, Esher, Surrey.
2. Mary baptised 10<sup>th</sup> November 1716, at St George, Esher, Surrey
3. Elizabeth baptised 6<sup>th</sup> December 1718, at St George, Esher, Surrey

Mary married John Willsher, Warfinger, 31<sup>st</sup> December 1744.

Elizabeth (married William Radford 27<sup>th</sup> May 1745, their daughter Elizabeth inherited his shares in the lead company and his estates and works at Tankerton, she married Charles Pearson 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1780.

1. John Stiegler jnr. married Elizabeth Clark 25<sup>th</sup> January 1740, at Spitalfields Christ Church

**Children of John and Elizabeth Stiegler:**

1. John baptised 20<sup>th</sup> June 1742, St Michael Paternoster Royal, City of London, buried 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1742, at St Michael Paternoster Royal, City of London

2. Elizabeth baptised 26<sup>th</sup> June 1744, at St Michael Paternoster Royal, City of London, died? not mentioned in her fathers Will.

His wife Elizabeth was buried 8<sup>th</sup> April 1766, at St Michael Paternoster Royal, City of London

John Stiegler died 6<sup>th</sup> or 13<sup>th</sup> March 1773, his was Will dated 1st September 1770, Probate 15<sup>th</sup> March 1773.

## **Edwin Sandys**

Edwin Sandys first elected to the Court of Assistants 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1774, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1781 to serve for 1782.

Edwin Sandys, 2nd Baron Sandys (28 April 1726 – 11 March 1797), was a British politician. He was the eldest son of Samuel Sandys, 1st Baron Sandys, and his wife Letitia, daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping, Bt.

He served as Member of Parliament for Droitwich from 1747 to 1754, for Bossiney from 1754 to 1762 and for Westminster from 1762 to 1770. He was a Lord of the Admiralty from April to July, 1757.

On 26 January 1769 Sandys married Anna Maria King, daughter of James Colebrooke and widow of William Paine King.[1]

On his father's death in 1770, he succeeded to the barony as the 2nd Baron Sandys, and to estates in Ombersley (including Ombersley Court) and elsewhere.

He and his wife had no issue, so that his title became extinct on his death

Source: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edwin\\_Sandys,\\_2nd\\_Baron\\_Sandys](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edwin_Sandys,_2nd_Baron_Sandys)

## **Charles Mills**

John Mills was born on 10 May 1712, He was the son of John Mills and Sarah Best. Reverend John Mills married Sarah Wheler (daughter of Rev. Wm and Elizabeth Wheler) 17<sup>th</sup> November 1749, at Leamington, Warwickshire.

### **Children of John and Sarah Mills:**

1. **William** born 10<sup>th</sup> November 1750, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1750
  2. Harriett born 7<sup>th</sup> January 1752, baptised 31<sup>st</sup> January 1752
  3. Selina born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1753, baptised 9<sup>th</sup> June 1753
  4. **Charles** born 13<sup>th</sup> July 1755, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> August 1755
  5. John 18<sup>th</sup> March 1758, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> April 1758
  6. Francis born 29<sup>th</sup> June 1759, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> July 1759
  7. Lucy born 7<sup>th</sup> December 1760, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> January 1761
  8. Frances born 30<sup>th</sup> April 1764, baptised 21<sup>st</sup> May 1764
  9. Charlotte born 21<sup>st</sup> July 1768 died 11<sup>th</sup> December 1771
- All baptised at Barford, Warwickshire

Reverend John Mills, Rector of Barford, died 21<sup>st</sup> March 1791 aged 78.  
Sarah Mills died 25<sup>th</sup> October 1807 aged 80.

#### **4. Charles Mills snr**

Charles Mills was first elected to the Court of Assistants 27<sup>th</sup> December 1776, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1816 to serve for the year 1817. The election of 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817 shows he was replaced by Charles Mills jnr. his nephew.

Charles Mills was a partner in the private bank Glyn's and from 1785 to 1815 he was also a director of the East India Company; he was elected MP for Warwick from 1802 to 1826.

Charles Mills married Jane Digby 21<sup>st</sup> March 1810, at St George, Hanover Square, Westminster. They had no children.

Charles Mills died 29<sup>th</sup> January 1826, aged 70.

Jane Mills died 21<sup>st</sup> August 1841.

#### **1. William Mills**

He was director of the East India Company between 1778 and 1785. He was the M.P. for St. Ives between 1790 and 1796. He held the office of High Sheriff of Hampshire from 1803 to 1804. He was the M.P. for Coventry between 1805 and 1812.

1. William Mills married Elizabeth Digby 7<sup>th</sup> April 1786

##### **Children of William and Elizabet Mills:**

1/1. Elizabeth born about 1788

1/2. John born 11<sup>th</sup> August 1789

1/3. Charlotte born about 1790

1/4. William born 17<sup>th</sup> April 1791, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> April 1791, at Hatfield Hertfordshire.

**1/5. Charles** born 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1792

1/6. Francis born 19<sup>th</sup> April 1793, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1793, at St Marylebone, Westminster

1/7. Henry Digby Mills baptised 8<sup>th</sup> May 1799, at St Marylebone, Westminster, died 1808, possible burial 31<sup>st</sup> January 1808, at St George, Hanover Square.

1/8. Edward Wheler born 7<sup>th</sup> October 1801

William Mills died 20<sup>th</sup> March 1820 aged 69, buried 25<sup>th</sup> March 1820, at Barford

Elizabeth Mills died 27<sup>th</sup> December 1828, will proved 15<sup>th</sup> January 1829

#### **1/5. Charles Mills jnr.**

Charles Mills jnr. was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1854.

The Court minutes of 14<sup>th</sup> January 1873 record "The Probate of the will of Charles Mills Baronet late of Lombard Street in the City of London and Camelford House, Park Lane in the County of Middlesex, and Hillingdon Court in the same County, granted to Dame Emily Mills widow the Relict of the deceased and Charles Henry Mills the son dated 21<sup>st</sup> November 1872 was exhibited & allowed."

Sir Charles Mills, was a banker with the firm of Glyn, Mills and Company and member of the Council of India.

*On 28<sup>th</sup> August 1822, he was appointed a director of the East India Company, retaining the post until 1858. Upon the liquidation of the company by the Government of India Act 1858, he was appointed to the Council of India, acting as a financial adviser to the Secretary of State for India until resigning in 1868. He was created a baronet, of*

*Hillingdon Court, Middlesex, on 17<sup>th</sup> November 1868, for his services on the council.*  
(Source: <https://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/charles-mills>)

1/5. Charles Mills married Emily Cox 10<sup>th</sup> February 1825, at Middlesex

Children of Charles and Emily Mills:

1/5/1. Emily Elizabeth baptised 1<sup>st</sup> March 1826, at St George, Hanover Square,  
married John Nathaniel Micklethwaite 29<sup>th</sup> May 1849, at St George, Hanover  
Square

1/5/2. Charlotte baptised 10<sup>th</sup> March 1827, at St George, Hanover Square, married  
Harcourt Johnstone 27<sup>th</sup> May 1850, at St George, Hanover Square

**1/5/3. Charles Henry** born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1830, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> June 1830, at St  
George,

Hanover Square, married Lady Louisa Isabella Lascelles 25<sup>th</sup> August 1853, at  
All Saints, Harewood, Yorkshire.

1/5/4. Selina baptised 1<sup>st</sup> October 1832, at St John the Baptist, Hillingdon, died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr  
1892 aged 60.

1/5/5. Agnes baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1834, at St John the Baptist, Hillingdon, married  
George Gaisford, 13<sup>th</sup> April 1858, at St George, Hanover Square.

1/5/6. Eleanor Jane baptised 26<sup>th</sup> July 1840, at St John the Baptist, Hillingdon,  
married Cecil Duncombe 26<sup>th</sup> October 1859, at St George, Hanover Square

In 1851, at Hillingdon House, Hillingdon, Middlesex, Richard Henry Cox, Army  
Agent, aged 71, his wife Charlotte 70, children, Henry Richard, Army Agent, aged  
45, Anthony W, Army Agent, aged 42, Algernon, barrister, aged 33, Laura 29,  
visitors, Charles Mills 56, his wife Emily Mills 48, and grandson Charles Mills jnr.,  
aged 20.

In 1861, at Hillingdon Court, Hillingdon, Middlesex, Charles Mills, Banker, member of  
the Council of India, aged 69, his wife Emily 59, daughter, Selina 28, married  
daughter Emily Micklethwaite 35, son in law John Micklethwaite, Church of England  
, aged 49, married daughter Charlotte Johnstone 34, grandchildren, Francis  
Johnstone 9, Edward Johnstone 6, married daughter Eleanor Duncombe 20, son in  
law Cecil Duncombe, Lieutenant Army, 28, granddaughter Rachel Duncombe 6  
months, and son in law Harcourt Johnstone aged 32.

In 1871, at Hillingdon Court, Hillingdon, Middlesex, Charles Mills, Bart. & Magistrate,  
aged 79, his wife Emily 69, daughter Selina, 38, daughter, Eleanor Duncombe 30,  
grandchildren, Rachel 10, William 9 Violet 7, and Kate 5.

Sir Charles Mills died 4<sup>th</sup> October 1872, at Hillingdon Court, Hillingdon, Middlesex

In 1881, at 36 Charles St., Mayfair, London, Emily Mills, widow, aged 79, son in law  
Cecil Duncombe, magistrate, aged 48, daughter, Eleanor Duncombe 40,  
granddaughters, Rachel Duncombe 20, Violet Duncombe 17, and Katherine  
Duncombe 15.

Dame Emily Mills died 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1884, at Hillingdon Court.

### **1/5/3. Charles Henry Mills**

Charles Henry Mills first elected to the Court of Assistants 1<sup>st</sup> January 1855 Sir  
Charles in 1873, last elected to the Court January 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1877.



*He was Member of Parliament for West Kent 1868 until 1885, also chairman of the London Committee of the Imperial Ottoman Bank; chairman of Union Bank of Australia (a position he held for 28 years); and chairman of North British & Mercantile Insurance Company. He was involved in the management of Marine Insurance Company and was a member of the committee of Bank of Rumania.*

*He was a Deputy Lieutenant and Justice of the Peace for West Kent between 1868 and 1885, as well as a Deputy Lieutenant and Justice of the Peace for Middlesex and a Justice of the Peace for Westminster.*

*He was appointed a cornet in the Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry in April 1852, eventually rising to the rank of captain.*

*(Source: <https://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/charles-henry-mills>)*

**1/5/3. Charles Henry** born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1830, at Camelford House, Park Lane, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> June 1830, at St George, Hanover Square, he married Lady Louisa Isabella Lascelles 25<sup>th</sup> August 1853, at All Saints, Harewood, Yorkshire.

**Children of Charles Henry and Louisa Isabella Mills:**

**1/5/3/1. Charles William** born 26<sup>th</sup> January 1855, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1855, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

1/5/3/2. Algernon Henry born 13<sup>th</sup> February 1856, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> March 1856, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

1/5/3/3. Susan Emily born 5<sup>th</sup> March 1858, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> March 1858, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster, buried 6<sup>th</sup> September 1860, at St John the Baptist, Hillingdon.

1/5/3/4. Isabel Mary, baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1862, at Holy Trinity, Bexley, Kent

1/5/3/5. Mabel Blanche born 20<sup>th</sup> November 1863, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> December 1863, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

1/5/3/6. Egremont John baptised 26<sup>th</sup> September 1866, at Holy Trinity, Bexley, Kent

1/5/3/7. Kenelm James born 7<sup>th</sup> October 1868 at Sevenoakes, Kent

1/5/3/8. Violet Louisa born 12<sup>th</sup> February 1872, baptised 9<sup>th</sup> March 1872, at Grosvenor Chapel, Westminster

1/5/3/9. Geoffrey Edward, born 15<sup>th</sup> March 1875, baptised 14<sup>th</sup> April 1875, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

In 1861, at Lamesby, Bexley, Kent, Charles H Mills, magistrate & banker, aged 30, his wife Louisa I 30, children, Charles W 6, Algernon H 5, sisters in law, Mary E Lascelles 18, and Maud C Lascelles 14.

In 1871, at Wilderness Seal, Kent, Charles H Mills, Banker, JP, aged 40, his wife Louisa I aged 40, Children, Charles W 16, Algernon H 15, Isabel M 8, Mabel B 7, Egremont John 4, and Kenelm James 2

Mabel Blanch Mills married Charles Molyneux Grenfell (Lieut. 10<sup>th</sup> Hussars) 12<sup>th</sup> January 1887, at St Mark's Chapel, Westminster

In 1891, at Wilderness House, Seal, Kent, Charles H Mills, Lord Hillingdon, Banker, aged 60, his wife Louisa 60, children, Isabel M 28, Violet L 19, Geoffrey E 16, Charles W, Mills, married, Banker M.P., aged 36, grandson, Charles T Mills 4, brother in law, Lord George F Hamilton, privy Councillor, 1<sup>st</sup> Lord of the Admiralty, aged 45, sister in law, Maud C Hamilton 44, nephew, Anthony G Hamilton 16, nephew, Robert C Hamilton 9, daughter, Mabel B Grenfell, married, aged 27, granddaughter, Sylvie C Grenfell, 2, visitor, Maud Lawrence 25, visitor, Henry L Bourke, married, stockbroker, aged 50

Charles Henry Mills died 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1898, burial St Peter and St Paul Churchyard, Seal, Kent.



**Charles Henry Mills**  
St Peter and St Paul Church, Seal, Sevenoaks  
Source: [www.findagrave.com](http://www.findagrave.com)

In 1901, at Wilderness House, Seal, Kent, Louisa I Hillingdon, widow, aged 70, son, Charles W, Lord Hillingdon, Banker, aged 46, (*note he is also listed as being at home Camelford House*) daughter, Violet L 29, daughter, Isabel M Laurence, married, aged 38, and son in law, Herbert A Laurence, cavalry officer, aged 39. In 1911, at Wilderness, Sevenoaks, Kent, Louisa I Hillingdon, widow, aged 80, daughters, Violet Louisa 38, Mable Blanche Grenfell, married aged 47, and granddaughter, Sylvia Caroline Grenfell 23.

Louisa I Mills (Hillingdon) died 30<sup>th</sup> November 1918 at Wilderness, Sevenoakes, aged 88.

### **1/5/3/1. Charles William Mills**

Charles William Mills, first elected to the Court of Assistants 8<sup>th</sup> January 1878, he was last elected to the Court 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884.

He was a lieutenant in the Queen's Own West Kent Yeomanry and a partner in the banking firm of Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.

*Charles Wm Mills was Conservative Member of Parliament for Sevenoaks Kent from 1885 to 1892. He also served as a Deputy Lieutenant of Kent and was Commander of the Lieutenancy for the City of London.*

*He inherited the title Baron Hillingdon upon his father's death in 1898.*

*He held directorships in numerous companies, including Imperial Ottoman Bank, Union Bank of Australia, Anglo-Austrian Bank, North British & Mercantile Insurance Company, Marine Insurance Company, Salt Union, Railway Passenger's Insurance Co and Royal Niger Co.*

(Source: <https://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/charles-william-mills>)

1/5/3/1. Charles Wm. Mills, born 26<sup>th</sup> January 1855, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1855, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

Charles Wm Mills married Alice Marion Harbord, 15<sup>th</sup> April 1886, at Langham, Westminster.

**Children of Charles Wm and Alice M Mills:**

Charles Thomas born 13<sup>th</sup> March 1887, baptised 14<sup>th</sup> April 1887, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster, killed 6<sup>th</sup> October 1915 in France

Arthur Robert born 13<sup>th</sup> October 1891, baptised 12<sup>th</sup> November 1891, at St Mark's, Chapel, Westminster

In 1901, at Camelford House, Oxford St., Westminster, Lord Hillingdon, banker aged 46, his wife Lady Hillingdon 43, son Arthur R Mills, 9, and niece Anne Keppel 2 months.

In 1911, at Vernon House, Park Place, St James, London, Lord Charles William Mills (Lord Hillingdon), married, partner in a Banking House, his wife Alice Marion, 53, and son Arthur Robert aged 19.

Charles Wm Mills of Hillingdon, died 6<sup>th</sup> April 1919, at Vernon House aged 64.

Alice Marion Mills died 13<sup>th</sup> September 1940 aged 80.

**Thomas Weston jnr.**

Thomas Weston jnr. was first elected to the Court of Assistants January 1777, he was last elected to the Court, December 1790.

Thomas Weston junior, of Coleman Street, Clay Hill, tobacconist, son of Thomas Weston (and his wife Sarah) Linen draper of the city of Dublin married Elizabeth Nicholls 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1750 daughter of John Nicholls Meal Factor, at Wandsworth quarterly meeting.

**Children of Thomas and Elizabeth Weston:**

1. Elizabeth born 4<sup>th</sup> June 1751, died 14<sup>th</sup> March 1764, aged 13 years.

2. **Thomas** born 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1752

3. Sarah born 10<sup>th</sup> April 1754

4. Judith Nickolls born 18<sup>th</sup> February 1756, she married Richard Wright, manufacturer of Norwich 17<sup>th</sup> March 1778, she died 12<sup>th</sup> May 1791, aged 35, at Tasburgh Norfolk, and was buried 19<sup>th</sup> May 1791 at Norfolk. Her Will was dated 5<sup>th</sup> January 1791, proved 15<sup>th</sup> July 1791. Judith and Richard Wright had 8 children,

Elizabeth born 7<sup>th</sup> Nov 1779, Anna born 11<sup>th</sup> Nov 1780, Weston born 14<sup>th</sup> Feb 1782, Patience born 22<sup>nd</sup> Apr 1783, Robert born 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 1785, Rachel born 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 1786, Sarah born 4<sup>th</sup> Apr 1788, David buried 11<sup>th</sup> Apr 1790 aged 0.

Elizabeth Weston wife of Thomas died about 1756/7, possible burial 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1757

**Thomas Weston junior**, of Coleman Street, Clay Hill, tobacconist, son of the late Thomas Weston of the city of Dublin married Patience Steadman, relict of John Steadman (died 1754 at Rotterdam), and daughter of David Barclay of Bushhill & Ann his wife she being deceased daughter of John Nichols Meal Factor, 11<sup>th</sup> August 1757, at the Tottenham qtly meeting.

Patience Weston died 6<sup>th</sup> June 1781, aged 63, buried 14<sup>th</sup> June 1781, at Winchmoor Hill.

Thomas Weston of Clay Hill, Enfield died 9<sup>th</sup> August 1791, aged 79, buried 15<sup>th</sup> August 1791 at the Quaker burial ground, Winchmoor Hill.

**2. Thomas Weston** was first elected to the Court of assistants December 1791, and served until his death in 1816.

Thomas Weston married Jane Forbes 11<sup>th</sup> September 1792, at St George, Hanover Square.

**Children of Thomas and Jane Weston:**

Jane Forbes baptised 30<sup>th</sup> July 1794, St Andrew, Enfield, died 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1794  
John William born 16<sup>th</sup> September 1798, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> October 1799, at St James, Piccadilly.

Thomas Weston of Clay Hill, Enfield, late of Coleman Street, London Merchant, died 21<sup>st</sup> November 1816, aged 63, buried 1<sup>st</sup> December 1816, at Winchmoor Hill.

Jane Weston died 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1835 aged about 81.

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*PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes Wright and others versus Forbes and another, and Wright and others versus Forbes, it is referred to James Trower, Esq. one of the Masters of the said court, to enquire whether Weston Wright, one of the residuary Legatees named in the will of the Testator Thomas Weston, Esq. of Clay-Hill, Enfield, in the County of Middlesex (who died on the 21st of November 1816), is living or dead, and if dead whether he survived the said Testator, and if he is dead, having survived the said Testator, who is or are his legal personal representative or representatives, and whereas the said Weston Wright was, in the years 1808 and 1809, residing at Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, and from which place he sailed as the Chief Mate of a brig, and afterwards went to and was residing, in the year 1813, in Buenos Ayres, in South America:—therefore, if the said Weston Wright is living, or if dead, having survived the said Testator Thomas Weston, then the personal representative or representatives is or are on or before the 1st day of November 1836, to come in before the said Master, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, and make out his, her, or their claim, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.*

*PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in certain causes Wright and others versus Forbes and another, and Wright and others versus Forbes, it is referred to James Trower, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, to enquire whether Charles Jones, a Legatee named in the will of the Testator, Thomas Weston, Esq. of Clay-Hill, Enfield, in the County of Middlesex (who died on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 1816), is living or dead, and whether he survived the said Testator's widow, Jane Weston, late of Clay Hill aforesaid (and who died on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1835), and if he is dead, having survived the widow, who is or are his personal representative or representatives: and whereas the said Charles Jones is described in the will of the said Testator to be then or late a Midshipman on board His Majesty's ship the Inconstant, and subsequently served as Midshipman on board His Majesty's ship the Shark, and was, in the month of January 1813, discharged from the same ship at Port Royal, in the West Indies:—therefore, if the said Charles Jones is living, or if dead, having survived the said Jane Weston, then he personal representative or representatives is or are, on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1836, to come in before the said Master, at his Chambers, in Southampton- Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, and make out his, her, or their claim, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.*

## **Benjamin Lutkens**

Benjamin Lutkens first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1784, last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1797 for the year 1798.

Assistant in the Court of The Corporation for Smelting down Copper Ores with Pit Coal and Sea Coal in 1799- 1801

Deputy Governor then Governor in 1790 of “The Governor & Co of Copper Miners in England” (English Copper Co.)

Also on the board of the London Assurance Company

Anthony Lutkens (a Skinner) married Ann Knight 4<sup>th</sup> August 1719, at St Anne and St Agnes, City of London

### **Children of Anthony and Ann Lukens:**

Anthony baptised 7<sup>th</sup> January 1724, at St Michael, Crooked Lane, City of London,

buried 18<sup>th</sup> November 1727, at St Michael, Crooked Lane, City of London

Benjamin Lukins baptised 20<sup>th</sup> August 1730, at St Michael, Crooked Lane, London.

Ann Lutkens was buried 27<sup>th</sup> December 1750, at All Hallows, London

Anthony Lukens an eminent London Merchant died 5<sup>th</sup> March 1757, at Thames St., London

Benjamin Lutkens, married Salome Well, 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1753, at St Antholin, Budge Row, City of London

Salome Lutkens buried 26<sup>th</sup> March 1801, aged 69, at the German, Lutheran, Chapel, City of London.

Benjamin Lutkens, buried 21<sup>st</sup> February 1804, aged 73, at the German, Lutheran, Chapel, City of London. will dated 26<sup>th</sup> September 1803, Probate 7<sup>th</sup> March 1804

## **Charles Pearson**

Charles Pearson first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1790, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1816

He had a wharf at Greenwich, he had a haberdashery business in Fleet Street was a Freeman of the Glovers Company, and Copperas Manufacturer and Merchant, owner and investor in The Canterbury and Whitstable Railway.

Charles Pearson married Elizabeth Radford, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1780, at St Dunstan in the West, London. *See John Stiegler*

### **Children of Charles and Elizabeth Pearson:**

1. Elizabeth baptized 8<sup>th</sup> June 1781, at St Dunstan in the West, London, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1860, aged 76, at St Alphege, Greenwich.
2. Clara baptized 4<sup>th</sup> July 1782, at St Dunstan in the West, London.
3. Charles born 15<sup>th</sup> December 1784, baptized 17<sup>th</sup> January 1785, at St Dunstan in the West, London, buried 10<sup>th</sup> July 1785.
4. Charles born 10<sup>th</sup> April 1786, baptized 7<sup>th</sup> May 1786, at St Dunstan in the West, London.
5. Amelia baptized 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1789, at St Dunstan in the West, London, buried 19<sup>th</sup> September 1855, at St Alphege, Greenwich, aged 66.

Elizabeth Pearson was buried 16<sup>th</sup> April 1817, aged 70, at St Alphege, Greenwich  
Charles Pearson, of Greenwich, Kent, died 1<sup>st</sup> June 1828, at Brighton, was buried 6<sup>th</sup> June 1828, at St Alphege, Greenwich, aged 76, his Will was dated 25<sup>th</sup> July 1822, proved 16<sup>th</sup> August 1828

## **Charles Pearson Jnr**

Charles Pearson Jnr took the oath and became a member of the Company 27<sup>th</sup> December 1810, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817, he was last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1834

Charles Pearson of Ravensbourne House, Greenwich, and of Tankerton Tower, near Whitstable, Kent

Charles Pearson married Eliza Hill (daughter of Colonel Justly Hill R.A.) 20<sup>th</sup> November 1810,

### **Children of Charles and Eliza Pearson:**

1. Charles Hill born 18<sup>th</sup> August 1811, baptized 7<sup>th</sup> December 1811, at St Alphege, Greenwich
2. Eliza born 28<sup>th</sup> December 1812, baptized 16<sup>th</sup> April 1813, at St Alphege, Greenwich
3. Arthur born 9<sup>th</sup> December 1814, baptized 8<sup>th</sup> March 1815, at St Alphege, Greenwich
4. Matilda born 10<sup>th</sup> November 1816, baptized 6<sup>th</sup> February 1817, at St Alphege, Greenwich
5. Justly born 26<sup>th</sup> April 1818, baptized 20<sup>th</sup> October 1818, at St Alphege, Greenwich
6. Fanny baptized 21<sup>st</sup> August 1824, at St Alphege, Greenwich
7. Herbert baptized 4<sup>th</sup> June 1825, at St Alphege, Greenwich
8. Ellis born 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1827, baptized 27<sup>th</sup> April 1827, at St Alphege, Greenwich

In 1841, at Maze Hill, Greenwich, Charles Pearson, Independent, aged 55, his wife Eliza 50, children, Charles, scholar, aged 25, Phebe 20, Eliza 25, Arthur 25, Matilda 20, Justly, Articled Clerk, aged 20, Herbert 15, and Ellis 14.

Eliza Pearson was buried 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1860, aged 76, at St Alphege, Greenwich

In 1861, at Finsbury, Bloomsbury, St George, Middlesex, William Sandys, Attorney at Law, aged 68, his wife Eliza 48, and father in law, Charles Pearson, widow, shareholder, aged 74.

Charles Pearson was buried 21<sup>st</sup> November 1870, aged 85, at St Alphege, Greenwich.

## **John Heylyn**

John Heylyn was first elected to the Court of Assistants 28<sup>th</sup> December 1792, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1796, to serve for the year 1797

Edward Heylyn married Elizabeth Brown 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1752, at St Dunston, Stepney.

### **Children of Edward and Elizabeth Heylyn:**

Edward born 20<sup>th</sup> March 1754, buried 13<sup>th</sup> February 1755, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

John baptized 8<sup>th</sup> May 1755 at St Michael Bassishaw, London, buried 6<sup>th</sup> May 1756, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

Elizabeth born 5<sup>th</sup> July 1756, baptized 15<sup>th</sup> July 1756, at St Michael Bassishaw, London, buried 21<sup>st</sup> October 1757, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

Elizabeth Heylyn died 1757-1759, possibly 28<sup>th</sup> March 1759.

Edward married Susannah Hamilton 6<sup>th</sup> December 1759, at St Andrew, Holborn, London.

### **Children:**

John born 12<sup>th</sup> June 1761, baptized 9<sup>th</sup> July 1761, at St Michael Bassishaw, London  
Susannah Jane baptized 6<sup>th</sup> February 1765, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

Susannah Heylyn was buried 4<sup>th</sup> October 1791, aged 64, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

Edward Heylyn was buried 5<sup>th</sup> January 1797, aged 76, at St Michael Bassishaw, London

John Heylyn, served his 'Articles' with Abraham Winterbottom, Attorney, working as his Articled Clerk for 5 years from 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1777.

John Heylyn, Solicitor married Philadelphia Cogan, daughter of Thomas Cogan, 11<sup>th</sup> September 1786 at St Mary, Islington.

### **Children of John and Philadelphia Heylyn:**

1. Philadelphia born 16<sup>th</sup> December 1788, baptized 13<sup>th</sup> January 1789, at St Stephen, Coleman St. London.
2. Eliza Jane baptized 13<sup>th</sup> May 1793 at St Mary, Islington, married Henry Hayter

John Heylyn of Highbury Terrace, Middlesex, died at Sea, October/December 1797, on a voyage to Lisbon Portugal, where he was going to improve his health, aged 37, he was buried at St Michael Bassishaw, London. Probate 29<sup>th</sup> December 1797.

Philadelphia Heylyn, widow, married Captain George James Shirley, 20<sup>th</sup> March 1800, at Old Church, St Pancras, London, later Admiral.

### **Robert Barclay**

Robert Barclay first elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1793, last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1814.

Robert Barclay son of John and Susanna Barclay born 25<sup>th</sup> September 1758

Robert Barclay, Banker, of Lombard St., son of John Barclay, Merchant and his wife Susanna married Ann Ford daughter of Isaac Ford 21<sup>st</sup> May 1783, at Yealand, Lancaster.

#### **Children of Robert and Ann Barclay:**

1. Ann Ford born 8<sup>th</sup> September 1785, at Clapham, Surrey, died 6<sup>th</sup> July 1794 aged 6 years
2. **Robert** born 14<sup>th</sup> February 1787, at Clapham, Surrey
3. Susanna born 19<sup>th</sup> August 1788, at Clapham, Surrey
4. John born 20<sup>th</sup> April 1790, at Clapham, Surrey, died 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1796 aged 5 years.
5. Mary born 18<sup>th</sup> February 1792, at Clapham, Surrey
6. Abram Rawlinson born 1<sup>st</sup> September 1793, at Clapham, Surrey
7. **Ford** born 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1795, at Clapham, Surrey
8. John born 8<sup>th</sup> May 1797, at Clapham, Surrey
9. Lydia Ann born 25<sup>th</sup> October 1799, at Clapham, Surrey

Ann Barclay of Clapham, Surrey, died 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1801, aged 37

In 1851, at Knotts Green, Leyton, Essex, Robert Barclay, widower, Banker, aged 64, children, Jane Mary 32, Rachel 25, and Henry 21.

Robert Barclay of Clapham, Surrey, Banker, died 25<sup>th</sup> January 1816, aged 58.

**Robert Barclay jnr.**, first elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1815, last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1848

2. **Robert Barclay**, Banker son of Robert Barclay, Banker and Ann his wife married Elizabeth Gurney, daughter of Joseph Gurney, Banker, of Lakenham, 29<sup>th</sup> June 1814, at Tasburgh, Norfolk

#### **Children of Robert and Elizabeth Barclay:**

- 2/1. Robert born 20<sup>th</sup> April 1815, died 4<sup>th</sup> March 1842, aged 26
- 2/2. Joseph Gurney born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1816, at Norwich, married Mary Walker Leatham 9<sup>th</sup> June 1842, at Wakefield, Yorkshire
- 2/3. Jane Mary born 1<sup>st</sup> July 1818, died 27<sup>th</sup> January 1899 (unmarried)
- 2/4. Elizabeth Gurney born 8<sup>th</sup> May 1820, died 20<sup>th</sup> November 1845, aged 25



2/5. Ann Ford born 18<sup>th</sup> February 1822, married Henry Fowler, Merchant, 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1848, registered at West Ham  
 2/6. Emma Lucy born 4<sup>th</sup> November 1823, died 21<sup>st</sup> September 1847, aged 23.  
 2/7. Rachel born 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1826, married Alfred Backhouse, Banker of Darlington, Durham, 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1851, registered at West Ham  
 2/8. Henry born 25<sup>th</sup> October 1829, died 13<sup>th</sup> October 1851  
 2/9. Louisa born 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1834, died 1847 aged 13.

Elizabeth Barclay died 28<sup>th</sup> August 1835, aged 45 years, buried 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1835, at Winchmoor Hill,  
 Robert Barclay of Knotts Green died 20<sup>th</sup> October 1853 aged 66.

## **Henry Ford Barclay**

Henry Ford Barclay first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1849 he was last elected to the Court 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884.

**7. Ford Barclay**, son of Robert Barclay late of Clapham Common, Banker and Ann (Ford) his wife both deceased, married Esther Reynolds daughter of William Foster Reynolds of Carshalton House, Merchant and Esther his wife, 27<sup>th</sup> October 1824, at the Croydon Meeting.

### **Children of Ford and Esther Barclay:**

7/1. **Henry Ford** born 9<sup>th</sup> September 1826, Streatham, Surrey  
 7/2. Mary Ann born 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1828, at Walthamstow, Essex  
 7/3. Hugh Reynolds, born 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1831, at Walthamstow, Essex, died 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1833  
 7/4. Charles Reynolds born 4<sup>th</sup> November 1833, at Walthamstow, Essex  
 7/5. Frederick John born 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1839, registered at West Ham

In 1841, at Grove Lane, Walthamstow, Essex, Ford Barclay, banker, aged 45, children Henry 14, Charles 7 and Frederick J 1.

In 1851, at Marine Parade, Brighton, Sussex, Ford Barclay, Stock Broker, aged 55, born, Clapham, his wife Esther 52, born Clapham, and daughter Mary A 22, born Walthamstow.

Ford Barclay died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1859, registered at West Ham.

**Henry Ford Barclay** married Richenda Louisa Gurney 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1848, registered at West Ham.

### **Children of Henry Ford and Richenda Louisa Barclay:**

7/1/1. Edith Richenda born 1849, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1869, at Cromer, Norfolk  
 7/1/2. Hugh Gurney born 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1851, registered at West Ham, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1869, at Cromer, Norfolk  
 7/1/3. Sarah Adelaide born 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1853, registered at West Ham, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> September 1876 at All Saints and St Andrew, Woodford, Essex  
 7/1/4. Alice Esther, born 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1854 at West Ham, died 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1867, aged 12, registered at West Ham.  
 7/1/5. Anna Maud born 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1858, registered at West Ham, buried 25<sup>th</sup> April 1891, aged 35 at St Mary, Reigate, Surrey at Reigate, Surrey  
 7/1/6. Henry Ford Gurney born 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1860, registered at West Ham, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> April 1878, at All Saints and St Andrew, Woodford, Essex

7/1/7. George Head born 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1862, registered at West Ham, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> May 1879, at All Saints and St Andrew, Woodford, Essex  
 7/1/8. Cameron born 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1866, registered at West Ham, married Charlotte Ernestine De La Poer Horsley Beresford, 8<sup>th</sup> October 1892, at St Peter's, Pimlico, Westminster  
 7/1/9. Charles Theodore born 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1867, registered at West Ham, married Josephine Lister Harrison, at St Mary The Virgin, Woodford, Essex  
 7/1/10. Marion Alice De G, born 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1868, registered at West Ham, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> May 1888, at St John, Stratford, Essex

In 1851, at Leyton, Essex, Henry Ford Barclaym Colonial Broker, aged 24, his wife Richenda Louisa 23, and daughter Edith Richenda 1 year.

In 1861, at Walthamstow, Essex, Henry F Barclay, magistrate & Deputy Lieutenant for Essex, Banker, Gutta Percher manufacturer, & Colonial Broker, aged 34, his wife Richenda L 43, children, Edith Richenda 11, Hugh Gurney 9, Sarah Adelaide 8, Alice Esther 6, Anna Maud 3, Henry Ford Gurney 7 months, nephew Frederick Chas E De Bunson 14, niece Marie Frances de Bunson 7, and Moriety Wm de Bunson 9.

In 1871, at Monkams Lodge, Woodford, Essex, Henry F Barclay, magistrate & Deputy Lieutenant for Essex, Colonial Broker, aged 34, his wife Richenda L 33, children, Edith R 21, Hugh G, undergraduate Cambridge, aged 19, Sarah A 18, Henry F G 10, George H 9, Cameron 5, Charles S 3, Marion A G 2.

In 1881, at Belle Vue House, Thorpe Next Norwich, Norfolk, Hugh Gurney Barclay, Banker, Master of Arts, aged 29, his wife Evelyn Louisa 19, visitors, father, Henry Ford Barclay, Magistrate & Banker, aged 54, mother, Richenda Louisa Barclay 53, and sister Alice Marion de Gurney Barclay, aged 12.

Richenda Louisa Barclay died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1888, aged 60, registered at West Ham

Henry Ford Barclay married Hannah Edith Chapman 10<sup>th</sup> June 1890, at St Peter, Cranley Gardens, Kensington & Chelsea.

In 1891 at Monkams Hall, Woodford, Essex, Henry Ford Barclay, local magistrate, aged 64, his wife Hannah C 37, son Charles, on stock exchange, aged 26, and granddaughter Murial Leatham, aged 14.

Henry Ford Barclay of Monkams, Woodford, Essex, died 12<sup>th</sup> November 1891.

Hannah Edith Barclay was buried 30<sup>th</sup> August 1930, aged 76.

**Robert Hennell** first elected to the Court of Assistants, December 1796 he served until his death in 1811.

Robert Hennell, silversmith, fifth son of David & Hannah Hennell, born 1741, died 12<sup>th</sup> April 1811, aged 69.

Robert Hennell married Susanna Gee 8<sup>th</sup> October 1765, at St Martin, Leicester.

**Children of Robert and Susanna Hennell:**

David born 18<sup>th</sup> May 1767

Ann Catherine born 11<sup>th</sup> May 1769

Robert born 13<sup>th</sup> November 1771

Susanna born 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1775

Samuel born 8<sup>th</sup> May 1778, died March/April 1837

Hannah born 12<sup>th</sup> March 1780, died 28<sup>th</sup> July 1870, at Hackney.

Susanna Hennell was buried 20<sup>th</sup> September 1831 aged 88, at All Saints, Edmonton, Enfield.



## Hagger Allis

Hagger Allis first elected to the Court of Assistants 28<sup>th</sup> December 1798, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1809.

Hagger Allis Brewer in 1786 brewed a total of 5249 barrels of beer,

John Allis malt maker married Grace Hagger 18<sup>th</sup> September 1712, at Great Amwell, Hertfordshire.

### Children of John and Grace Allis:

1. John born about 1720 died 14<sup>th</sup> September 1787, occupation brewer, married Anna Hagen daughter of Jacob Hagen 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1745
2. Martha
3. George
4. Hagger born about 1733

John Allis died about 1738, probate of his will dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1738.

Hagger Allis, no evidence found of his birth, a marriage or children.

Hagger Allis of Dean St., Southwark, died 7<sup>th</sup> January 1810, aged 77, buried at Long Lane, Bermondsey.

## **Anthony Horne**

Anthony Horne first elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1811, last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1815, to serve for the year 1816.

Anthony Horne son of Thomas and Mary Horne, born 17<sup>th</sup> February 1758.  
Anthony Horne, Coal merchant, son of Thomas Horne, Clothworker, married Elizabeth Reynolds, daughter of Foster Reynolds, Linen Bleacher, 13<sup>th</sup> March 1781.

### **Children of Anthony and Elizabeth Horne:**

1. Thomas born 10<sup>th</sup> July 1782, Thomas Horne, Coal merchant, married Ann Jane Driver (father Abraham P Driver Land Surveyor) 30<sup>th</sup> September 1802
2. Reynolds born 5<sup>th</sup> November 1783, married Caroline Mary
3. William born 29<sup>th</sup> November 1785; William Horne Coal merchant married Mary Hopper (father James H Hooper, Surgeon) 1<sup>st</sup> January 1807

Elizabeth Horne died 7<sup>th</sup> January 1787, aged 26, buried at Long Lane 7<sup>th</sup> January 1787

Anthony Horne married Elizabeth Stirredge, daughter of James Stirredge, 11<sup>th</sup> March 1788

Children of Anthony Horne and Elizabeth Stirredge:

4. **James** born 17<sup>th</sup> December 1788, James Horne, wholesale Tea dealer, married Mary Ann Driver (father Wm Driver Land Surveyor) 15<sup>th</sup> April 1813
5. Edward born 26<sup>th</sup> June 1790

Anthony Horne died 28<sup>th</sup> May 1816, aged 58, buried 4<sup>th</sup> June 1816 at Long Lane.

## **4. James Horne**

James Horne became a member of the Company December 1816, he was elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1816, his last election to the Court of Assistants was 1<sup>st</sup> January 1855.

### **Children of James and Mary Ann Horne:**

James born 4<sup>th</sup> March 1814

Anthony born 14<sup>th</sup> November 1815, died 21<sup>st</sup> October 1816

Sophia Elizabeth born 12<sup>th</sup> August 1817

Susan born 13<sup>th</sup> April 1821

Charles born 6<sup>th</sup> June 1823

Fanny born 4<sup>th</sup> April 1825

Edward born 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1829

In 1851, at Clapham Common, James Horne, gentleman, merchant, aged 63, his wife Mary Ann 60, children, Susan 29, Fanny 25, and Edward 22.

James Horne F.R.S. of Clapham Common, Surrey, died 26<sup>th</sup> October 1857

In 1861, at Clapham Common, Mary Ann Horne, widow, fundholder, aged 69, daughter, Susan 39, and daughter Fanny White, married aged 36.

Mary Ann Horne died 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1870, aged 79.

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Source: [https://gracesguide.co.uk/James\\_Horne](https://gracesguide.co.uk/James_Horne)

*James Horne:*

*From an early age he took great interest in scientific pursuits, and in mechanical inventions and improvements ; initiating several for which he declined to take out patents, leaving the manufacturers to reap the benefit of his talents. Like many others, he devoted attention to the ungrateful subject of Steam Locomotion on common roads, and with the ordinary result of loss of time and money.*

*The subject of warming and ventilating buildings also occupied his attention ; and he applied the system, with success, to several buildings of the City Companies of which he was a Member.*

*He was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society on the 6th of February, 1834, was an early Member of the Society of Arts, in the Adelphi, and was connected with several other societies. He was elected an Associate of this Institution on the 20th February, 1835,-served the office of Auditor in the year 1840, and contributed several original Papers to the Meetings. He was a very constant attendant at the Meetings, taking part in the discussions, and was always ready to undertake anything which he conceived to be conducive to the advantage, or prosperity of the Society.*

*He was essentially an Amateur Mechanic, and possessing ample means, with time at his command, he was enabled to indulge his predilections; yet he with equal energy devoted a portion of his time, and much of his wealth, in relieving the wants of his fellow-creatures, and became a Governor of most of the Charitable Societies.*

*For nine years before his decease, he was, in consequence of an attack of paralysis, obliged to discontinue his hitherto regular attendance at the Meetings of this and other Societies; and at length he sank calmly to rest, on the 26th October 1856, in his sixty-eighth year, deeply regretted by his family and a wide circle of friends, by whom he was much esteemed, as an upright, kind-hearted man.*

### **James Williams**

James Williams first elected to the court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1811, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1843.

Occupation Solicitor

James Williams married Amelia Bristow 27<sup>th</sup> December 1804, at St Mary, Marylebone.

#### **Children of James and Amelia Williams:**

1. Daniel John baptised 17<sup>th</sup> August 1806, at St Mary Wandsworth
2. Louisa born 4<sup>th</sup> May 1808, baptised 6<sup>th</sup> June 1808, at St Peter, Frimley
3. Emma born 19<sup>th</sup> October 1809, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> November 1809 at St Peter, Frimley
4. Matilda born 9<sup>th</sup> October 1811, baptised 6<sup>th</sup> November 1811, at St Peter, Frimley
5. Charles baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1813, at St Peter, Frimley
6. Edward baptised 4<sup>th</sup> October 1814, at St Peter, Frimley
7. Emily Esther baptised 27<sup>th</sup> March 1818, at St Peter, Frimley, married Stephen Parsloe Bendall 14<sup>th</sup> February 1837, at Frimley, Emily Esther Bendall was buried 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1837, at Frimley.

Amelia Williams died 21<sup>st</sup> January 1831, aged 52, buried 28<sup>th</sup> January 1831, at St Peter, Frimley

In 1841, at Frimley, Ash, Surrey, James Williams, independent, aged 70, daughter, Louisa 30, and son, Edward 25.

James Williams of Ash, Surrey was buried 28<sup>th</sup> January 1843, aged 76, at Streatham, Surrey. Will dated 21<sup>st</sup> August 1829, Codicil dated 4<sup>th</sup> March 1831, Codicil dated 20<sup>th</sup> September 1837, Probate 14 March 1843

### **Thomas Poynder jnr.**

Elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1817 he served until 1840, last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1839.

He was in partnership with his father in the building trade. Thomas Poynder jnr., was the Treasurer of Christ's Hospital Foundation.

Thomas Poynder snr., a bricklayer, builder, and Lime Manufacturer, was Master of The Worshipful Company of Tylers and Bricklayers of the City of London 1797-1798.



**Thomas Poynder**  
Worshipful Company of Tylers and Bricklayers  
silver medal 1772  
Source: [www.cooperscoins.com/](http://www.cooperscoins.com/)

Thomas Poynder jnr., son of Thomas Poynder and Mary Wix was born 6<sup>th</sup> March 1779, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> April 1779, at St Peter's, Cornhill, London.

Thomas Poynder snr., died 10<sup>th</sup> May 1837, his wife Mary died about 1835.

Thomas Poynder jnr. married Sarah Marianne Cooper 20<sup>th</sup> June 1808, at St Mary, Battersea.

#### **Children of Thomas and Sarah Poynder:**

1. Mary Anne baptised 11<sup>th</sup> October 1809, at St George, Bloomsbury, died 5<sup>th</sup> May 1862, buried 12<sup>th</sup> May 1862 at Hillmartin, Wiltshire.

2. **Thomas Henry Allen** born 29<sup>th</sup> January 1814, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> April 1814, at St George, Bloomsbury

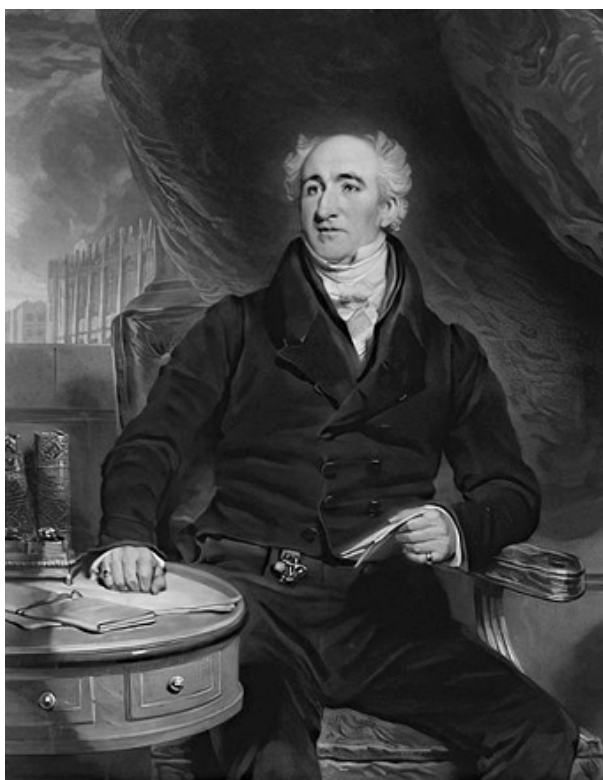
3. Isabella Rebecca born 10<sup>th</sup> February 1815, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1815, at St George, Bloomsbury

4. Edmund Samuel born 13<sup>th</sup> June 1817, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> July 1817
5. William Henry born 5<sup>th</sup> February 1821, baptised 10<sup>th</sup> April 1821, at St George, Bloomsbury
6. Sarah Matilda 1822–1866, married John Bourmaster Dickson, Capt. Royal Navy, 19<sup>th</sup> June 1855.
7. Frances Anna baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1829, at Snodland, Kent.

In 1851, at 52 Wimpole Street, St Marylebone, Middlesex, Thomas Poynder, widower, landed proprietor, aged 73, daughters, Mary Ann 42, Isabella 40, and Matilda 35.

Thomas Poynder died 16<sup>th</sup> June 1856 registered at Marylebone, London, probate of his will 4<sup>th</sup> July 1856.

Sarah Marianne Poynder died September 1838, aged 60, at Tunbridge Wells, Kent



**Thomas Poynder Jnr.**

Source: Christ's Hospital Foundation

**2. Thomas Henry Allan Poynder** was elected to the Court of Assistants 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1842; he was last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1859.

He was the Treasurer for Christ's Hospital, and a Director of the Hand in Hand Insurance Co.

Thomas Henry Allen Poynder, barrister at law, married Mary Anne Edmeades (daughter of Robert Edmeades) 2<sup>nd</sup> qtr 1842 at Kent, he was Sherrieff of Wiltshire in 1865

In 1841, at St Marylebone, London, Thomas Poynder, barrister, aged 27.

In 1861, Hartham House, Corsham, Wiltshire, Thomas Henry Allen Poynder, Magistrate, aged 47, and his wife Mary Ann aged 40.

In 1871, Hartham House, Corsham, Wiltshire, Thomas H. A. Poynder, Barrister at law, magistrate, aged 57, and his wife Mary Ann aged 53.

Mary Ann Poynder died 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1871, at Hartham, Wiltshire  
Thomas Henry Allen Poynder died 26<sup>th</sup> November 1873 at Bath, Somerset.

### **Richard Peckover Harris** **28th November 1816 LLC 18**

Mr Richard Peckover Harris attended the Court this day & qualified.  
First elected to the Court of Assistants December 1817, continuous service to the Court, last date of Election December 1844.

Richard Peckover Harris, Cornfactor, of Salvador House Bishopsgate Street , City of London born 17<sup>th</sup> March 1779.

His father was Richard Harris born 29 Aug 1751 in St. Martin Orgar, London, his mother was Jane Peckover, born 28 May 1756 in, Fakenham, Norfolk.

Richard Peckover Harris married Lydia Masterman (born 13 Jul 1782, daughter of William Masterman) on 29<sup>th</sup> August 1811, at the Monthly meeting at Devonshire House, London.

#### **Children**

1. Lydia born 8<sup>th</sup> June 1812 in Saint Lukes, Middlesex
2. Jane born 15<sup>th</sup> August 1813 in Saint Lukes, Middlesex
3. **Richard Peckover** born 24<sup>th</sup> January 1815 in Saint Lukes, Middlesex (Elected to the Court of Assistants January 1847 – 1849),
4. William Masterman born 14<sup>th</sup> July 1816 in Saint Lukes, Middlesex
5. Charlotte born 1<sup>st</sup> September 1818 in Walthamstow, Essex
6. Charles born 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1821 in Walthamstow, Essex, married Edith Rose Whitaker 11<sup>th</sup> July 1856, at St George, Hanham Abbots, Gloucestershire.
7. Elizabeth born 24<sup>th</sup> November 1822 in Walthamstow, Essex, Elizabeth married Thomas Warner 10<sup>th</sup> February 1847, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow.

Richard Peckover Harris died 11<sup>th</sup> October 1846, aged 67, Probate 12<sup>th</sup> November 1846.

Lydia Harris died 16<sup>th</sup> December 1854, aged 72, her Will dated 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1847, Probate 31<sup>st</sup> March 1855.

### **3. Richard Peckover Harris jnr**

Richard Peckover Harris was elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> January 1847, he was last elected to the Court 31<sup>st</sup> December 1849 to serve for 1850

Richard Peckover Harris married Emily Mary Wilson, 27<sup>th</sup> June 1839, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow.

#### **Children of Richard and Emily Harris:**



1. William Wilson, born 13<sup>th</sup> July 1841, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> August 1841, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow.
2. Eleanor Mary born 28<sup>th</sup> August 1842, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> September 1842, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow.
3. Bernard Francis born 4<sup>th</sup> March 1845, baptised 30<sup>th</sup> March 1845, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow.
4. Amy Louisa born 12<sup>th</sup> December 1846, baptised 17<sup>th</sup> January 1847, at St Mary The Virgin, Walthamstow, buried 30<sup>th</sup> November 1853, at St Matthew, Bankfoot
5. Rosalie Mary born 6<sup>th</sup> December 1848, baptised 31<sup>st</sup> January 1849, at St Peter, Bradford, buried 5<sup>th</sup> May 1853, at St Matthew, Bankfoot

In 1851 at Lister Terrace, Horton, Bradford, Richard P Harris, Stuff Manufacturer, aged 36, his wife Emily M 34, children Eleanor M 8, Bernard F 6, Amy L 4, and Rosalie M 2.

In 1861, at 3 Fair Mount, Manningham, Bradford, Richard Peckover Harris, Bankers assistant, aged 46, his wife Emily Mary 44, children, William Wilson, engineer, aged 19, Eleanor Mary 18, Bernard Francis 16, and niece, Susan Katherine Frances 9.

In 1871, at 4 Hampton Grove, Kingston upon Thames, Bernard F Harris, member of the London Stock Exchange, aged 26, his father Richard P, retired Corn factor, aged 56, and his mother Emily 54.

Richard Peckover Harris died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1884, aged 68, at Bromley, Kent.

Emily Mary Harris died 8<sup>th</sup> December 1900, aged 83, at Reigate Surrey

## **Richard Sanderson**

Richard Sanderson was first elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> January 1836, he was last elected to the Court 29<sup>th</sup> December 1856, and served until his death in October 1857.

Richard Sanderson, Banker & Bill-Broker, was the Member of parliament for Colchester 1832 – 1847

Richard Sanderson married Charlotte Matilda Sanderson Manners-Sutton (daughter of the Speaker of the House of Commons Charles Manners Sutton) 12<sup>th</sup> February 1833, at St Margaret's, Westminster.

In 1841, at Belgrave square, St George Hanover square, Richard Sanderson, Independent, aged 50, his wife Charlotte 25, sons, Richard M 6, and Charles H 4. Richard Manners Sanderson, Bill-Broker, died 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1884.

Charles Hugh Sanderson born 14<sup>th</sup> August 1836, son of Richard and Charlotte Sanderson, was buried 15<sup>th</sup> October 1842, aged 6 years.

In 1851, at 46 Belgrave Square, St George Hanover Square, Richard Sanderson, banker aged 68, born Yorkshire, his wife Charlotte Matilda aged 35, born Newark, children Percy 8, Charlotte Louisa Gertrude 7, Algernon R 6, Lucy Fanny Mary 4, Edward Manners 3, and Catherine M E 15 months.

Richard Sanderson died 29<sup>th</sup> October 1857, aged 73 at Hazelwood, Hertfordshire.

In 1861, at 65 Wimpole Street, Marylebone, Charlotte M Sanderson, widow, aged 45, children, Thomas H, clerk in foreign office, aged 20, Charlotte L G 17, Lucy F M 14, Edward M 13, and Matilda A 9.

In 1871, at Mansion House, Lytchett Minster, Dorset, Charlotte M Sanderson, widow, farming 39 acres employing 3 men, aged 55, children, Charlotte L G 27, Lucy F M 24, and Matilda A 19.

In 1891, at 65 Wimpole Street, Marylebone, Charlotte M Sanderson, widow, aged 65, children Charlotte L G 47, and Lucy F M 44.

*Probate 1898: The Honourable Charlotte Matilda Sanderson of 65 Wimpole Street, Middlesex, widow died 14 May 1898 Probate London 6<sup>th</sup> August to Sir Thomas Henry Sanderson K.C.B., K.C.M.G. Effects £5282 3s 9d.*

*(Sir Thomas Henry Sanderson. Permanent Under Secretary of State in the Foreign Office)*

## **Frederick Reade**

Frederick Reade was elected to the Court of Assistants 12<sup>th</sup> April 1838, replacing Kilpin Warner, he was last elected to the Court 1<sup>st</sup> January 1844.

In 1842 Frederick Reade was listed in the Post Office Directory as employed at Customs House London, in the Ships Entries Office, Principle Clerk & Collector. Investor in the Great Western Railway

Frederick Reade baptised 6<sup>th</sup> June 1786, at St Giles, Southwark, parents William & Elizabeth (nee Langton married 1<sup>st</sup> July 1776) Reade.

Frederick Reade married Harriet Lewin 4<sup>th</sup> December 1807, at St John the Baptist, Woolwich, Kent.

### **Children of Frederick and Harriet Reade:**

1. Frederick born 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1808, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> December 1808, at Bridewell Hospital Chapel

2. Harriet born 24<sup>th</sup> August 1809, baptised 31<sup>st</sup> January 1810, buried 29<sup>th</sup> October 1815, at Bridewell Chapel, London

3. Lewin born 8<sup>th</sup> November 1810 baptised 9<sup>th</sup> November 1810, Bridewell Hospital Chapel

4. Charles buried 6<sup>th</sup> January 1812, at Bridewell Hospital Chapel

5. Alfred, baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1812 at Bridewell Hospital Chapel married Frances Elizabeth Colebrooke

6. Henry born 6<sup>th</sup> March 1814, baptised 4<sup>th</sup> April 1814, died 5<sup>th</sup> August 1818 buried at Bridewell Hospital Chapel

7. Ellen Mary born September 1815 baptised 20<sup>th</sup> October 1815, at Bridewell Hospital Chapel

8. Ann Frances baptised 25<sup>th</sup> May 1818, Bridewell Hospital Chapel

9. Eliza born 29<sup>th</sup> May 1819, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> June 1819, at St Marylebone

10. William Wilstead born 25<sup>th</sup> September 1820, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> March 1821, (named after a colleague of his father) at Holy Trinity, Clapham, he married Charlotte Mary Gregory 6<sup>th</sup> June 1857, he was an army Captain in 1861.

11. Maria Matilda, born 28<sup>th</sup> September 1821, baptised 20<sup>th</sup> June 1822 at Holy Trinity, Clapham

12. Caroline Emma born about 1825

In 1841, at Portland Place, St Marylebone, Frederick Reade, of H.M. Customs, aged 55, his wife Harriet 50, children, Ellen 25, Ann 20, Elizabeth 20, Maria 20, and Caroline 15.

Frederick Reade of Portland Terrace died 27<sup>th</sup> February 1844, and was buried 7<sup>th</sup> March 1844, aged 57, at Kensal Green, Cemetery.

Harriet Reade of Portland Place was buried 10<sup>th</sup> September 1845, aged 56, at Kensal Green, Cemetery.

In 1841, at Sillwood Place, Brighton, Frederick Reade, minister, aged 30, his wife Emily 30, children, Frederick 6, and Emily 5.

In 1851, at Sillwood Place, Brighton, Frederick Reade, clergyman, incumbent at St Marks Church, aged 42, his wife Emily (nee Margetts, married 24<sup>th</sup> August 1832) aged 41, children, Montague 7 and Madeline 1.

In 1851, at Farnham Royal, Buckinghamshire, Lewin Reade, retired Captain, his wife Mary Ann (nee Larkins, married 6<sup>th</sup> July 1842) aged 29, daughter Emma Mary 7, and sister Ellen Mary, governess, aged 35.

In 1861, at 24 Warrior Sq., Ellen M Reade, fundholder, aged 45, sisters, Eliza 41, fundholder, Maria M, fundholder, aged 39, and C Emma, fundholder aged 36.

## **Richard Alsager**

First elected to the Court of Assistants in December 1839, he served until his death in 1841.

Richard Alsager son of Thomas Alsager (a Setter - stretched cloth on tenter hooks) and Mary Crosby

Captain Richard Alsager a Commander in the Maritime Service, East India Company. Nine of the fifteen voyages he undertook for the company were to China, five as an Officer, and four in command of the Waterloo, a Company's Ship of 1,325 Tons. After his retirement from sailing, he became the Conservative MP for East Surrey from 1835 to his death in 1841. He was a director Globe Insurance, and also a director of the Imperial Gas Light and Coke Company.

Richard Alsager married Elizabeth Beatrice Lloyd, 11<sup>th</sup> September 1822, at Allesley, Warwick, they had no children.

Richard Alsager buried 25<sup>th</sup> January 1841, at Tooting Graveney, Wandsworth, Surrey, aged 60.

Elizabeth Beatrice Alsager married John Bockett 6<sup>th</sup> June 1844.

## **John Dimsdale**

John Dimsdale snr. of Hitchin, Surgeon, son of Joseph Dimsdale, surgeon deceased, married Priscilla Pitts 10<sup>th</sup> August 1773.

### **Children of John and Priscilla Dimsdale:**

1. William Pitts born 17<sup>th</sup> June 1775, at Hitchin, died 25<sup>th</sup> January 1837

Priscilla born 18<sup>th</sup> September 1779, at Hitchin, married Lt. General Gerard Gosselin 28<sup>th</sup> February 1835, at Holy Trinity, Marylebone.

2. Mary born 5<sup>th</sup> July 1778, at Hitchin, died 28<sup>th</sup> August 1778, aged about 3 weeks.

3. **John** born 4<sup>th</sup> September 1780

4. Joseph born 5<sup>th</sup> September 1781, Joseph Dimsdale druggist married Sarah Cockfield 5<sup>th</sup> December 1811, at Barking, Essex. Joseph and Sarah had 4 children Joseph Cockfield born 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1813, Priscilla Pitt born 18<sup>th</sup> August 1814, she died 1836; John born 17<sup>th</sup> January 1817 and Elizabeth Gurney born 2<sup>nd</sup> October 1821. Joseph Dimsdale died 9<sup>th</sup> February 1831, aged 49. Sarah Dimsdale died 20<sup>th</sup> June 1860, aged 84.

John Dimsdale Surgeon died 12<sup>th</sup> September 1819, aged 79. Priscilla Dimsdale died 25<sup>th</sup> December 1819, aged 69.

**4. John Dimsdale** was elected to the Court of Assistants 11<sup>th</sup> February 1841 following the death of Richard Alsager, he was last elected to the Court 30<sup>th</sup> December 1850 to serve for the year 1851.

John Dimsdale married Henrietta Larkins daughter of John Pascal Larkins, 7<sup>th</sup> June 1838, at Trinity Church, St Marylebone.

In 1841, at 5 Brunswick Place, St Marylebone, John Dimsdale, Banker, aged 60, and his wife Henrietta 40.

John Dimsdale died 17<sup>th</sup> February 1851 aged 70, at Greenham Lodge, Newbury, buried in the family vault at Greenham Chapel, probate of his will 20<sup>th</sup> March 1851

In 1851, at Greenham Lodge, Thatcham, Berkshire, Henrietta Dimsdale, widow, annuitant, aged 53, brother in law, Edward Luke, fundholder, aged 54, sister Georgeanna Luke 49, niece Mary G Luke 13, and nephew Henry I Larkins 7. Henrietta Dimsdale married Major General Guy Carleton Coffin 17<sup>th</sup> August 1854 at Saint James, Westminster. Henrietta Coffin, widow, died 8<sup>th</sup> August 1885, at Cleveland Square, Middlesex.

*See: Handbook of London Bankers with Some Account of Their Predecessors The Early Goldsmiths By Frederick G. Hilton Price*

## **William Gladstone**

Robert Gladstone (son of Thomas Gladstone and Helen Neilson) born 1<sup>st</sup> December 1773 at Biggar, Scotland, married Catherine Steuart (daughter of Adam Steuart, Merchant of Liverpool), 11<sup>th</sup> May 1801, St Peter's, Liverpool

### **Children of Robert and Catherine Gladstone:**

1. Thomas Steuart baptised 17<sup>th</sup> March 1805

2. Adam born 1<sup>st</sup> February 1806, baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1806

3. John McAdam born 29<sup>th</sup> May 1808, baptised 27<sup>th</sup> June 1808, lost at Sea aged 27 years.

4. **William** born 20<sup>th</sup> October 1809, baptised 14<sup>th</sup> November 1809, at Paradise Street Chapel, Liverpool.

5. Robert born 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1811, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1811, at Paradise Street Chapel, Liverpool.

6. Alexander Ross born 8<sup>th</sup> April 1812, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> May 1812,

7. Adam Steuart baptised 27<sup>th</sup> August 1814 or 17<sup>th</sup> July
8. Murray born 14<sup>th</sup> February 1816
9. Montgomerie born 10<sup>th</sup> February 1817, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> March 1817

Robert Gladstone senior an East India Merchant, owned plantations in Jamaica, slaves and crops which in his will 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1834, proved 15<sup>th</sup> October 1835, he left to his sons. They received compensation for the Great Valley estate in Manchester, Jamaica. He was deputy chairman of the Liverpool & Manchester Railway Company formed on 20<sup>th</sup> May 1824.

Catherine Gladstone died 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1818

Robert Gladstone died 31<sup>st</sup> August 1835, at Fasque, Kincardineshire (residence of his brother), aged 61.

#### **4. William Gladstone**

William Gladstone was first Elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1845, last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1871.

He was an East India Merchant, also a partner in Thomas Bonar & co., Russian merchants and Director of Alliance Marine Assurance.

William Gladstone married Charlotte Louisa Alexandrina Kenrick (daughter of George & Mary Kenrick born about 1816, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 1828, at Leyland, Lancs.) 24<sup>th</sup> January 1837, at St Edward the Confessor, Brotherton, Yorkshire.

##### **Children of William and Charlotte Gladstone:**

4/1. William Kenrick, born 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1838, baptised 12<sup>th</sup> February 1838, at Walton on the Hill, Lancashire. Died 8<sup>th</sup> September 1871

4/2. Robert Steuart born 10<sup>th</sup> July 1839, baptised 5<sup>th</sup> August 1839, at Walton on the Hill, Lancashire.

4/3. George Harrington/Farrington baptised 21<sup>st</sup> March 1841, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey, died 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1841.

4/4. Charles Frederick baptised 15<sup>th</sup> March 1842, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1842, at Mortlake

4/5. Charlotte Georgina baptised 1<sup>st</sup> May 1843, at St Mary, Mortlake, Surrey, buried 8<sup>th</sup> July 1843, at Mortlake

4/6. Laura baptised 27<sup>th</sup> March 1846, at St Michael, Highgate, died 15<sup>th</sup> May 1861, at Camden, London

4/7. Evelyn Charlotte, baptised 11<sup>th</sup> August 1847, at St Michael, Highgate

4/8. Arthur Sydney baptised 4<sup>th</sup> July 1850, at St Michael, Highgate

4/9. Rosa Caroline baptised 14<sup>th</sup> February 1852, at St Michael, Highgate, about 1852, married Charles James Pratt Barlow, 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1873, at St Stephen, Kensington

4/10. Charles Henry Buchan, baptised 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1854, at St Michael, Highgate, died 10<sup>th</sup> June 1889, at Newick, Sussex, aged 34..

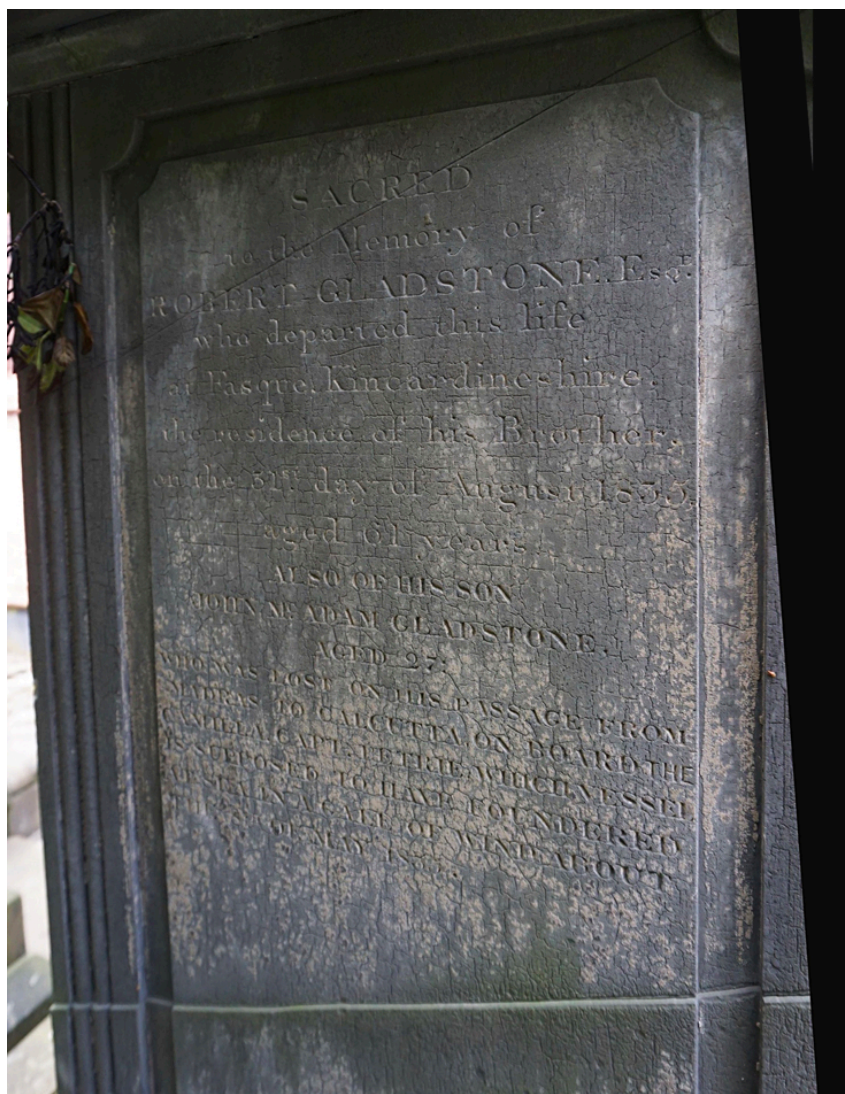
4/11. Cecil Thomas baptised 31<sup>st</sup> March 1856, at St Anne, Haringey.

In 1841, at Mortlake, Brixton, William Gladstone, merchant aged 30, his wife Charlotte 25, children, William K 4, Robert 2, and George 3 months.

In 1861, at Fitzroy Park, St Pancras, Marylebone, William Gladstone, East India Merchant, aged 56, his wife Charlotte Louisa 45, children, William K, Merchant

(Russia), aged 24, Robert, Merchant (Swedish), aged 22, Laura 14, Evelyn 13, Rosa Caroline 9, Sydney Arthur 10, Charles Henry 6, and Cecil T 5.

In 1871, at 58 Queens Gate, Kensington, Charlotte Gladstone, married, aged 52, children, Rosa 19, Charles 16, and Cecil 14.



**Robert Gladstone**

St Michael's in the Hamlet, Liverpool

Source: <https://www.findagrave.com/> added by Peter H

William Gladstone, died 4<sup>th</sup> March 1873, at Kensington, aged 63.

In 1881, at 4 Brunswick Place, Hove, Sussex, Charlotte L Gladstone, widow, aged 60, son Cecil T aged 25, and niece Georgina S Edwards aged 30.

Charlotte Louisa Gladstone died 21<sup>st</sup> April 1884 at 77 Sloane Street, Middlesex, buried 24<sup>th</sup> April 1884, aged 68, at Camden, London

*Probate 1 July 1873. The Will with four Codicils of William Gladstone late of 58 Queen's-gate Prince-Albert-road in the Parish of St. Mary Abbott Kensington in the County of Middlesex and of 57½ Old-Broad-street in the City of London Esquire who died 4 March 1873 at 58 Queensgate was proved at the Principal Registry by Robert*

*Steuart Gladstone of 79 Coleman-street in the said City Merchant the Son one of the surviving Executors. Effects under £120,000.*

**Isaac Braithwaite** first elected to the Court of Assistants 30<sup>th</sup> December 1850, he was last elected 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884.

Isaac Braithwaite, (father Isaac mother Anna Lloyd) born 6<sup>th</sup> July 1810 at Kendal, he died 26<sup>th</sup> January 1890, at Hastings. On 10<sup>th</sup> March 1840 he married Louisa, daughter of John Masterman, at Leyton Church, Essex, Louisa died 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1886.

Isaac was a stockbroker, a partner in the firm of Foster and Braithwaite, of London.

### **Children**

Louisa born 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 1842, married Thomas Barkworth, 27<sup>th</sup> June 1868. (See *Thomas Barkworth in Court of Assistants*)

Basil born 11 February 1843

Alfred born 21<sup>st</sup> Nov 1843

John Masterman born 27<sup>th</sup> March 1846

Reginald born 18<sup>th</sup> July 1847

Walter born 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1848

Eliza born 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter 1850

Florence born 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 1852

Adeline born 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 1853

The Census reports show: —

In 1851, at 14 Southwick Crescent, Isaac Braithwaite, stock & share broker, aged 40, his wife Louisa 35, children Louisa 8, Alfred 7, Basil 6, John M 5, Reginald 3, Walter 2, and Eliza 10 months.

In 1861, at Gloucester Square, Paddington, Isaac Braithwaite, married, stock & share broker, aged 50, children Louisa 18, Reginald 13, Eliza 10, Florence 9, and Adeline 7.

In 1871, at Gloucester Square, Isaac Braithwaite, member of Stock Exchange, broker, aged 60, his wife Louisa 55, children Alfred, member of the Stock Exchange, age 27, Reginald, member of the Stock Exchange, age 23, Walter, student of law, aged 22, and Eliza 20.

### **George Grenfell Glyn**

George Grenfell Glyn was elected to the Court of Assistants 29<sup>th</sup> December 1851, he was last elected 29<sup>th</sup> December 1862 for the year 1863.

[www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/george-grenfell-glyn](http://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/george-grenfell-glyn)

*George Grenfell Glyn (created 2<sup>nd</sup> Baron of Wolverton in 1869) was born in London on 10<sup>th</sup> February 1824, the eldest of nine sons of George Carr Glyn (Banker) and his wife Marianne (daughter of Pascoe Grenfell M.P.). George Carr Glyn was a partner in Glyn, Mills & Co and Member of Parliament for Kendal.*

*George Grenfell Glyn was educated at Rugby School and, from 1842, University College, Oxford.*





**George Grenfell Glyn**

Source: [www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/george-grenfell-glyn](http://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/george-grenfell-glyn)

### **Banking career**

*George Grenfell Glyn became a partner in the family bank (Glyn, Mills & Co.) in his early twenties, on leaving university.*

*In 1863 he led a group of financiers promoting the proposed new Anglo-Austrian Bank, which was intended to challenge the Rothschilds' domination of Austrian government finance. The bank opened for business on 4 January 1864 with a starting capital of £2m. It continued trading until 1926, when it merged with British Trade Corporation to form Anglo-International Bank.*

*In 1866, George Grenfell Glyn withdrew from active bank life in favour of his political career, but he remained a partner in Glyn, Mills & Co until his death.*

### **Political career**

*George Grenfell Glyn was elected Liberal Member of Parliament for Shaftesbury in 1857. He was a firm supporter and trusted confidant of William Ewart Gladstone.*

*In 1866 Glyn was asked to become Liberal chief whip, but refused the role unless he was permitted to remain a partner in the family bank. This raised a potential conflict of interests, since if the Liberals were subsequently elected to government, the chief whip would become one of the secretaries of the Treasury. It was eventually agreed that Glyn could accept the post if his partnership in the bank became an inactive interest. As Liberal chief whip, Glyn brought together the whips' office with the Liberal Registration Association into a single headquarters, thereby linking the Liberals in parliament much more closely with local Liberal party associations. After the Liberal party came to power in 1868, Glyn became patronage secretary to the Treasury.*

*Glyn's father died later in 1873, and George Grenfell Glyn inherited the title Lord Wolverton. He resigned his seat in the House of Commons and entered the House of Lords. At the same time, he was sworn of the privy council.*

*During Gladstone's second period in office, from 1880 to 1885, Glyn served as Paymaster-General. He was Postmaster-General in Gladstone's short-lived third period in office, from February to July 1886. As the Liberal party became deeply*



*divided over the question of Irish Home Rule, Glyn remained loyal to Gladstone, and to his support for Home Rule.*

*He was a lieutenant of the City of London and a yeoman in the Dorset Cavalry under the command of Lord Ilchester.*

*George Grenfell Glyn divided his time between his London home and his country houses at Iwerne Minster, Dorset, and Coombe Wood, Kingston. He took a special interest in the village of Iwerne, where he and his wife supported two local orphanages. He also used his salary as Postmaster-General to fund beds in a London convalescent home for sick postmen.*

*On 22 June 1848, George Grenfell Glyn married Georgiana Maria Julia, daughter of the Reverend George Frederick Tuffnell of Uffington, Berkshire (at St Peter, Eaton Square, Pimlico, London). They had no children.*

George Grenfell Glyn died on 6<sup>th</sup> November 1887 aged 64, at the Bedford Hotel, Brighton, while visiting the area to attend the races at Lewes and Plumpton.

Georgiana Maria Julia Glyn died 10<sup>th</sup> January 1894, aged 68, at 73 South Audley St., Middlesex.

## **Edward Masterman**

Edward Masterman first elected to the Court of Assistants 31<sup>st</sup> December 1860, last elected to the Court 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884.

Edward Masterman son of John and Elizabeth Masterman (See 1/4/b/1. *John Masterman MP*)

**1/4/b/1/7.** Edward Masterman married Ellen Sarah Backworth 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1847, registered at Sculcoates

### **Children of Edward and Ellen Sarah Masterman:**

Edward baptized 26<sup>th</sup> July 1848, at St Nicholas Acons, London

Robert baptized 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1849, at St Nicholas Acons, London

Emma baptized 18<sup>th</sup> March 1850, at St John, Weston Super Mare.

Eliza baptized 8<sup>th</sup> July 1852, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Ellen Sarah baptized 5<sup>th</sup> October 1853, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Constance baptized 5<sup>th</sup> August 1855, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Thomas Edmund baptized 5<sup>th</sup> August 1859, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Mary Charlotte baptized 9<sup>th</sup> April 1860, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Harold baptized 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1861, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Adelaide, baptized 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1863, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Louisa baptized 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1863, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

Violette baptized 13<sup>th</sup> December 1865, at St. Mary's, Leyton, Essex

In 1851, at St Mary Layton, Essex, Edward Masterman, Banker, aged 30, his wife Ellen Sarah 26, children, Edward 2, Robert 2, and Emma 1.

In 1861, at Knotts Green, Leyton, Essex, Edward Masterman, Banker, aged 40, his wife Ellen S 36, children, Edward 12, Robert 12, Emma 11, Eliza 9, Ellen 7, Constance 5, Thomas E 2, Mary C 1, and Harold 5 months.

In 1871, at Knotts Green, Leyton, Essex, Edward Masterman, Banker, aged 50, his wife Sarah 46, children, Emma 21, Ellen 17, Adelaide 9, Louisa 8, and Violetta 5.

In 1881, at Knotts Green, Leyton, Essex, Edward Masterman, Banker, aged 60, his wife Ellen 56, children, Eliza 29, Sarah 27, Constance 25, Mary 21, Adelaide 19, Louisa 18, and Harold, clerk, aged 20.

In 1891, at Knotts Green, Leyton, Essex, Edward Masterman, Banker, aged 70, children, Mary 31, Adelaide 29, and Louisa 28.

Ellen Sarah Masterman died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1893, aged 67, registered at Sussex.

In 1901, at Cambridge Terrace, Paddington, boarder, Edward Masterman, independent, aged 80.

Edward Masterman of Cambridge Terrace, Hyde Park, died 4<sup>th</sup> May 1903 died aged 82.

### **George Wodehouse Currie**

George Wodehouse Currie first elected to the Court of Assistants, 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1865, he was last elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1886.

Director of Great Eastern Railway MP?

Trustee of the Foreign and Colonial Government Trust

Gun Life Assurance Society of Threadneedle St.

Raikes Currie married Laura Sophia Wodehouse 28<sup>th</sup> June 1825, at St George Hanover Sq., Westminster.

#### **Children of Raikes and Laura Currie:**

1. **George Wodehouse** born 13<sup>th</sup> April 1826, baptised 28<sup>th</sup> June 1826, at St Mary, Marylebone

2. Bertram Wodehouse born 25<sup>th</sup> November 1827, baptised 21<sup>st</sup> June 1828, at Marylebone, married Caroline Louisa Young, 4<sup>th</sup> qtr 1860, he died 29<sup>th</sup> December 1896,

3. Maynard Wodehouse born 25<sup>th</sup> February 1829, baptised 20<sup>th</sup> May 1829, at Enfield, the Rev. Maynard Wodehouse Currie married Mary Cadogan 14<sup>th</sup> July 1874, at St Paul, Wilton Place, London, he died 11<sup>th</sup> May 1887.

4. Mary Sophia born 14<sup>th</sup> February 1833, baptised 13<sup>th</sup> June 1833, at St Mary, Paddington Green, Westminster, married William Samuel Deacon 1<sup>st</sup> April 1858, at St John, Paddington

5. Philip Henry Wodehouse baptised 9<sup>th</sup> February 1835, at St Mary, Paddington Green, Westminster, married Mary Montgomery Singleton 24<sup>th</sup> January 1894, at All Saints, Ennismore Gardens, Knightsbridge, London, died 12<sup>th</sup> May 1906.

6. Edith Sophia Harriet baptised 13<sup>th</sup> April 1842, married Lionel Digby William Dawson-Damer, 26<sup>th</sup> October 1871, at St Andrew, Minley, Surrey.

Laura Sophia Currie died 22<sup>nd</sup> June 1852

Raikes Currie of Minley Manor, Yateley, Southampton, died 16<sup>th</sup> October 1881, aged 80.

1. **George Wodehouse** Currie married Evelyn Elizabeth Vernon 19<sup>th</sup> September 1850, at St Andrew's, Brigstock, Northamptonshire

In 1861, at 10 Hyde Park Street, Paddington, George W Currie, Banker aged 34, his wife Evelyn E aged 31, and daughter Letitia E 2.

In 1871, at 20 Hyde Park Street, George Currie, Com \_\_\_\_\_ of t \_\_\_\_\_, aged 44, his wife Elizabeth 35, and daughter Letitia 12.

It is possible that Letitia joined the Convent of St Josephs, Chelsea, becoming a Sister of Mercy?

Elizabeth Currie died 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1873

In 1881, at 129 Marine Parade, Brighton, George Currie, widow, retired banker, aged 54, visitor Mathilda Sanchez, fund holder, aged 30, born Spain, and visitor Elisa Engiso, teacher of languages, aged 32, born Manchester

George Wodehouse Currie died 8<sup>th</sup> January 1887, at Hill House Crown Lane, Streatham, Surrey.

**The Spectator 18<sup>th</sup> November 1848.**

***TO THE PROPRIETORS OF EAST INDIA STOCK.***

*Ladies and Gentlemen:*

*I BEG most respectfully to announce to you my intention of offering myself at a future opportunity as a Candidate for the East India Direction.*

*In soliciting the favour of your support, I may be permitted to advert to the long connexion of my family with commercial affairs, as Bankers in the City of London; and to express a hope, that you will find some guarantee for trustworthiness and business habits in the responsible situation in which I am already placed, and in the character of those who have preceded me.*

*I have been engaged during a large portion of the last three years in prosecuting a tour in the East, and have visited great part of British India, as well as more remote provinces rarely traversed by Europeans. While these circumstances have made me acquainted with the wonderful efficiency of that organisation through which India is governed,—with the ability, energy, and self-devotion of your civil and military servants,—they have led me to feel a personal and lasting interest in the destinies of its immense and varied population.*

*Should you honour me with your confidence, and confer on me a share in the administration of your affairs, I shall enter on that important trust with a deep sense of its responsibilities, and with the earnest desire to cooperate in every measure calculated to advance the welfare and develop the resources of your Eastern Empire.*

*I have the honour to be, Ladies and Gentlemen, your obedient and faithful servant,*

*GEORGE WODEHOUSE CURRIE. 29, Cornhill. November 1848.*

**Family History**

Source: <https://www.natwestgroup.com/heritage/people/raikes-currie.html>

*Raikes Currie (1801-81) was a partner in the London banks Curries & Co and Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co and also a politician.*

**Background and early life**

*Raikes Currie was born on 15 April 1801, the second son of the banker Isaac Currie and his wife Mary Anne Raikes, daughter of East India merchant William Raikes.*

*In 1826 Raikes Currie and his brother Isaac George became partners in the family bank, which was known thereafter as Curries & Co.*

### **Banking career**

*Following his father's death in 1843, Raikes Currie took responsibility for managing the bank. His two eldest sons, George Currie and Bertram Wodehouse Currie, later joined him in the bank. The latter quickly became the leading force in the bank, and negotiated its merger with Glyn, Mills & Co in 1864. Both Raikes Currie and Bertram Wodehouse Currie became partners in the merged bank.*

### **Politician**

*In 1837 Raikes Currie was elected as Liberal Member of Parliament for Northampton, a seat he held until 1857.*

### **Other activities**

*Raikes Currie served as a magistrate for Middlesex, Buckinghamshire, Essex, Hampshire and Kent. He also served as a deputy lieutenant for Middlesex. He was a director of the Sun Fire Office.*

*He was involved in a number of ways with South Australia: he was a founding director of the South Australian Company; a director of the Van Diemen's Land Company; treasurer of the South Australian District Committee of the Incorporated Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts; and a member of the South Australian Church Society, the Provisional Committee of the South Australian Association and the South Australia Literary and Scientific Association.*

*The family bank was connected to slavery in the British West Indies and contributed some £9,000 (possibly as much as £50,000) to the creation of South Australia in 1836.*

## **David Simpson Morice**

David Morice married Elizabeth Duguid 17<sup>th</sup> October 1815, at St Nicholas, Aberdeen.

David Morice was a well-known maker of quality watches in the 18th and 19th centuries.

### **Children of David and Elizabeth Morice**

1. **David Simpson** born 11<sup>th</sup> July 1817, baptised 10<sup>th</sup> August 1817 at St Dionis Backchurch, London.
2. Elizabeth born 22<sup>nd</sup> October 1818, baptised 16<sup>th</sup> December 1818 at St Dionis Backchurch, London, buried 1<sup>st</sup> June 1819 at St Dionis Backchurch.
3. Elizabeth born 24<sup>th</sup> March 1820, baptised 30 April 1820 at St Dionis Backchurch, London, married Walter Alexander Leslie, 19<sup>th</sup> March 1850 at Bombay, India
4. William Dugard, born 30<sup>th</sup> June 1822, baptised 19<sup>th</sup> July 1822 at St Dionis Backchurch, London; died 1843? at Newton Abbot, Devon
5. Jane born 15<sup>th</sup> October 1823, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> November 1823 at St Dionis Backchurch, died 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1909 at Matfield Green, Kent
6. Thomas Henry born 21<sup>st</sup> March 1825, baptised 15<sup>th</sup> May 1825 at St Dionis Backchurch, died 1849? at Maidstone, Kent.
7. Ann Allerdyce born 7<sup>th</sup> May 1827, baptised 8<sup>th</sup> July 1827 at St Dionis Backchurch, London, died 14<sup>th</sup> December 1907 at Brenchley, Kent,

8. James Francis born 24<sup>th</sup> October 1831, baptised 25<sup>th</sup> December 1831 at St Dionis Backchurch.

David Morice died 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1837,

In 1851, at Highweek, Newton Bushel, Devon, Elizabeth Morice, widow, aged 61, born Scotland, daughters Jane 27, and Annie A 20.

Elizabeth Morice buried 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1857, aged 67, at St John the Evangelist, Croydon

**1. David Simpson Morice** first elected to the Court of Assistants 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1865, last elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> January 1881.

Occupation Solicitor

David Simpson Morice married Frances Charlotte Marshall (daughter of Rev. William Marshall Rector of Chickerell) 26<sup>th</sup> April 1848, at Chickerell, Dorset.

**Children of David and Frances Morice:**

1/1. Francis David baptised 25<sup>th</sup> July 1849, at Christ Church, St Marylebone, died 3<sup>rd</sup> qtr 1926.

1/ 2. Amy Clementine baptised 1<sup>st</sup> January 1851, at Christ Church, St Marylebone

1/3. Henry Edward baptised 6<sup>th</sup> November 1853, at Christ Church, St Marylebone, died 27<sup>th</sup> June 1826

1/ 4. Gertrude Frances baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1855, at Christ Church, St Marylebone

1/5. John baptised 24<sup>th</sup> October 1857, at St Leonard, Streatham, died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1858

1/6. Alfred William baptised 18<sup>th</sup> September 1858, at St Leonard, Streatham, buried 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1859.

1/7. Lucy Elizabeth baptised 6<sup>th</sup> April 1862, at Christ Church, Camden, buried 11<sup>th</sup> July 1943, aged 81, at St Peter, Notting Hill, Kensington.

1/8. William Ogilvie Marshall baptised 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1864, at Canterbury, Kent

1/9. Cuthbert Charles Duguid baptised 30<sup>th</sup> June 1867, at Canterbury, Kent.

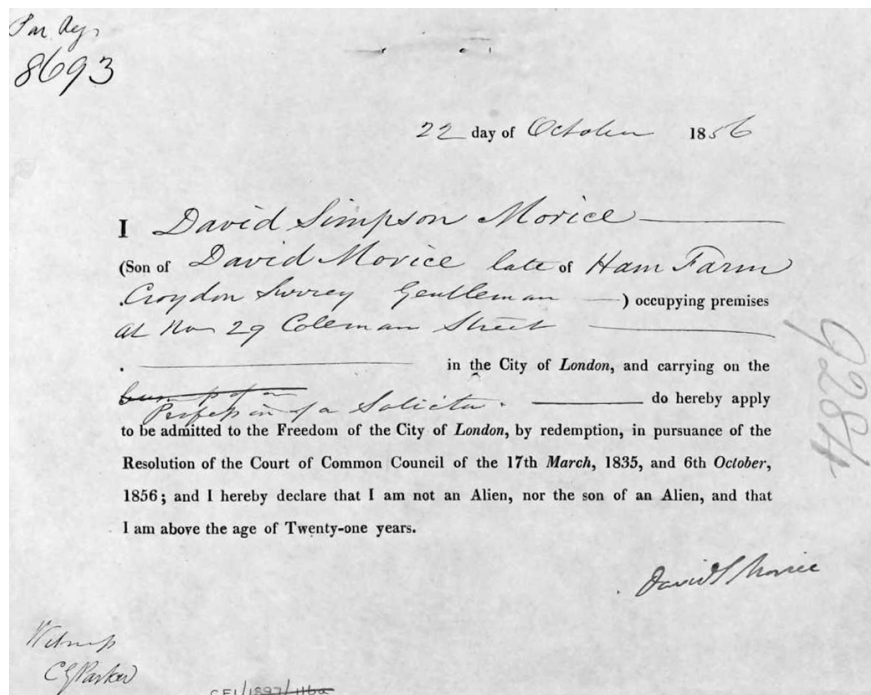
In 1851, at 2 Hamilton Place, St Marylebone, David S Morice, solicitor, aged 33, his wife Frances C 21, children Francis David 1, and Amy C 5 months.

In 1861, at 40 Chester Ter, Marylebone, David S Morice, attorney, aged 43, children, Henry E 7, and Gertrude T 5.

Frances Charlotte Morice was admitted to Ticehurst House Hospital (Private Asylum), Sussex, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1868, she died there 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1906, aged 77, buried 6 March 1906 at St John the Evangelist, Shirley, Surrey

In 1871, at Barton Villas, St Paul, Canterbury, Kent, David S Morice, solicitor, children, Amy C 20, Lucy E 9, William O M 6, and Cuthbert Charles Duguid 3. In the 1870's his office was at 8 Serjeant's Inn, Fleet Street.

David Simpson Morice died 2 April 1881 at 11 Cleveland Gardens, Middlesex, England, aged 64, buried 7<sup>th</sup> April 1881 at St John the Evangelist, Shirley, Surrey.



<https://www.ancestry.co.uk/>

David Simpson Morice  
London, England, Freedom of the City Admission Papers

Probate 20<sup>th</sup> May 1881. The Will of David Simpson Morice late of 11 Cleveland-gardens in the County of Middlesex Gentleman who died 2 April 1881 at 11 Cleveland-gardens was proved at the Principal Registry by the Reverend Francis David Morice of Rugby in the County of Warwick Clerk the Son Amy Clementina Morice of 11 Cleveland-gardens Spinster the Daughter and Henry Edward Morice of 8 Serjeants'-Inn Fleet-street in the City of London Gentleman the Son the Executors. Probate being granted under certain Specialties. Estate under £14,000.

**Henry Hucks Gibbs** first elected to the Court of Assistants 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1866, he was last elected to the Court 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1871.

Henry Hucks Gibb born 31<sup>st</sup> August 1819, died 13<sup>th</sup> September 1907, son of George Henry Gibbs (Partner in Antony Gibbs & Co. merchants) and Caroline Crawley. He married Louisa Anne Adams 6<sup>th</sup> May 1845.

#### **Children.**

Alban George Henry born 23<sup>rd</sup> April 1846

Edith Caroline born 2<sup>nd</sup> November 1848

Walter Antony born 19<sup>th</sup> January 1850

Vicary born 12 May 1853

Hebert Cokayne born 14<sup>th</sup> May 1854

Kenneth Francis born 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1856

Henry Lloyd born 21<sup>st</sup> July 1861, died 14<sup>th</sup> September 1907.



Henry Hucks Gibbs, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Aldenham by Maull & Co, albumen cabinet card, 1870s

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The Company of Antony Gibbs & Co., dealt in importing guano, for use as a fertiliser, making sufficient money to be able to set up as a merchant bank. Henry was a Director of the Bank of England between 1853 and 1901 and Governor of the Bank in the years 1875 to 1877. He was a committed member of the Church of England and supported many High Church organisations and interests. He was a fellow of the Royal Geographical Society and of the Society of Antiquaries. Henry Hucks Gibbs was created the Baron of Aldenham in 1896.

### **Samuel Christie Miller**

Samuel Christie Miller first elected to the Court of Assistants 7<sup>th</sup> January 1873, he was elected 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884. Following reorganisation of the Company there was a second election on 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884 when William Henry Christie Miller was elected to the Court of Assistants, he served less than one year, he died in July 1884.

He was a Hat maker and Member of Parliament.

Samuel Christie Miller was a buyer of the Company Silver:

*23<sup>rd</sup> July 1872. Sold Samuel Christie Miller 250 ounces of silver at 5/47/8 oz value £67 11s 7d.*

10<sup>th</sup> December 1872. Sold Samuel Christie Miller 200.5 ounces of silver at 5/45/16 oz value £53 14s 6d.

12<sup>th</sup> August 1873 LLD 32, Sold Samuel Christie Miller 293.75 oz silver at 5/315/16 value £78 5s 2d.

Genealogical Memoirs of The Scottish House of Christie Compiled From Family Papers and The Public Records By The Rev. Charles Rogers, LLD. 1878

*“Thomas Christie of Brooklands, Essex, eldest son of Miller Christie and Ann Rist, was born 25<sup>th</sup> September 1776, and died 14<sup>th</sup> June 1846. By his wife, Rebecca, daughter of Samuel Hewlings of Reading, he had two sons, Thomas and Samuel, and three daughters, Rachel, Charlotte, and Anne. Samuel Christie, (born 27<sup>th</sup> January 1810) second son of Thomas Christie of Brooklands, succeeded to the estates of Britwell, in the county of Buckingham, and of Craigentenny, in the county of Edinburgh; he assumed, on the 19<sup>th</sup> March 1862, the name and arms of Miller.”*

Samuel Christie-Miller was the M.P. for Newcastle-under-Lyne from 1847 to 1859. He married, Mary Hardcastle, daughter of Thomas Hardcastle, Esq. of Firwood, Bolton le Moors, 20<sup>th</sup> April 1842.

#### **Children of Samuel Christie and Mary Miller:**

1. William Henry Archibald, born 16<sup>th</sup> November 1850, he became a barrister at law.

In 1851, at Britwell House, Burnham, Bucks, Miss S Marsh, landed proprietor, aged 49, Miss E Marsh, landed proprietor, aged 43, visitors, S Christy, M.P. aged 41, his wife M Christy 40, and their son W H Christy 4 months.

In 1871, at St James Park, Westminster, Samuel C Miller, Landowner in England & Scotland, aged 62, his wife Mary 59, son William at Christs Church College Oxford, aged 20.

In 1881, at Britwell House, Burnham, Samuel Christie Miller, gentleman, landowner, aged 68, his wife Mary 66, and son William Henry, barrister at law, aged 29

Mary Christie Miller buried 18<sup>th</sup> February 1882, at St Peter Churchyard Burnham, Buckinghamshire

William Henry Christie Miller, bachelor, Barrister, died 30<sup>th</sup> July 1884, at Moira House, St James Place, Westminster, buried 5<sup>th</sup> August 1884, at St Peter Churchyard Burnham, Buckinghamshire

Samuel Christie Miller died 5<sup>th</sup> April 1889, aged 79, buried 10<sup>th</sup> April 1889, at St Peter Churchyard Burnham, Buckinghamshire

*Probate 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1890. Administration (with the Will) of the Personal Estate of Samuel Christie-Miller late of Britwell Court in the Parish of Burnham in the County of Buckingham of Moira House St. James'-place St. James' Westminster in the County of Middlesex and of Craigentenny Mid-Lothian in North Britain Esquire who died 5 April 1889 at Britwell Court domiciled in England was granted at the Principal Registry to Wakefield Christy of 21 St. James'-place and of Brooklands near Chelmsford in the County of Essex Esquire the Nephew the Residuary Legatee substituted. Personal Estate £305,055 4s 8d.*





**Samuel Christie Miller**

St Peter Churchyard Bumham, Buckinghamshire

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## **Thomas Barkworth**

Thomas Barkworth first elected to the Court of Assistants 9<sup>th</sup> January 1884, last elected 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884 after reorganisation

Thomas Barkworth's father was a Timber Merchant, shipbuilder, and managing owner of several East Indiamen, built at his yard at Hessle Hull.

John Barkworth (Timber Merchant) married Emma Boulderson, (daughter of Captain Joseph Boulderson of the Honourable East India Company's Naval Service, he died 8<sup>th</sup> September 1828 aged 64 years) 14<sup>th</sup> March 1818, at St Andrew, Holborn, London.

### **Children of John and Emma Barkworth:**

1. John Boulderson baptised 5<sup>th</sup> January 1819, at Sculcoates, Yorkshire
2. Shadwell Morley baptised 6<sup>th</sup> November 1819 at Sculcoats, Yorkshire (in 1861, perpetual curate of Southwold, Suffolk)
3. Emma baptised 14<sup>th</sup> December 1820, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
4. Henry baptised 1<sup>st</sup> February 1822, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
5. Thomas Edmund baptised 24<sup>th</sup> November 1823, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire, died?
6. Ellen Sarah baptised 9<sup>th</sup> March 1825, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
7. Joseph Charles baptised 29<sup>th</sup> March 1826, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
8. Harold baptised 31<sup>st</sup> May 1827, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
9. William Locke baptised 5<sup>th</sup> September 1828, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
10. Elizabeth baptised 5<sup>th</sup> February 1831, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
11. Louisa Frances baptised 8<sup>th</sup> May 1832, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
12. Rosamund Jane baptised 24<sup>th</sup> December 1834, died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1840
13. Frederick baptised 12<sup>th</sup> December 1838, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,
- 14. Thomas** baptised 26<sup>th</sup> July 1842, at Kirk Ella, Yorkshire,

John Barkworth of Tranby House, Hessle, Hull, died 28<sup>th</sup> March 1846

Emma Barkworth (born about 1796), widow, of Tranby House, East Riding died 21<sup>st</sup> March 1876, aged 80.



**John Barkworth (1788-1846) and his wife Emma**

Source: <https://sites.google.com/site/tranbyhouse/tranby-house-and-the-barkworth-family/john-barkworth-junior>

**Thomas Barkworth**, married Louisa Braithwaite (daughter of Isaac Braithwaite and Louisa Masterman, *See Isaac Braithwaite in Court of Assistants*) 27<sup>th</sup> June 1868, at Holy Trinity, Paddington.

**Children of Thomas and Louisa Barkworth:**

1. John Raymond born 17<sup>th</sup> June 1869, baptised 31<sup>st</sup> July 1869, at Beckenham, Kent, died 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1898 buried 6<sup>th</sup> January 1898 at Brompton Cemetery.
2. Louisa Maud baptised 28<sup>th</sup> May 1871, at Sevenoaks
3. Alfred Montgomery born about 1874
4. Gwendolen Edith Georgina baptised 4<sup>th</sup> January 1877 at Michaelston-Super-Avon, Glamorganshire, Wales
5. Harold Braithwaite baptised 21<sup>st</sup> January 1879, at St Mary the Virgin, Chigwell

In 1861, at Gloucester Place, Paddington, London, Emma Barkworth, widow, aged 60, and Son Thomas aged 18, born Hessle, Yorkshire.

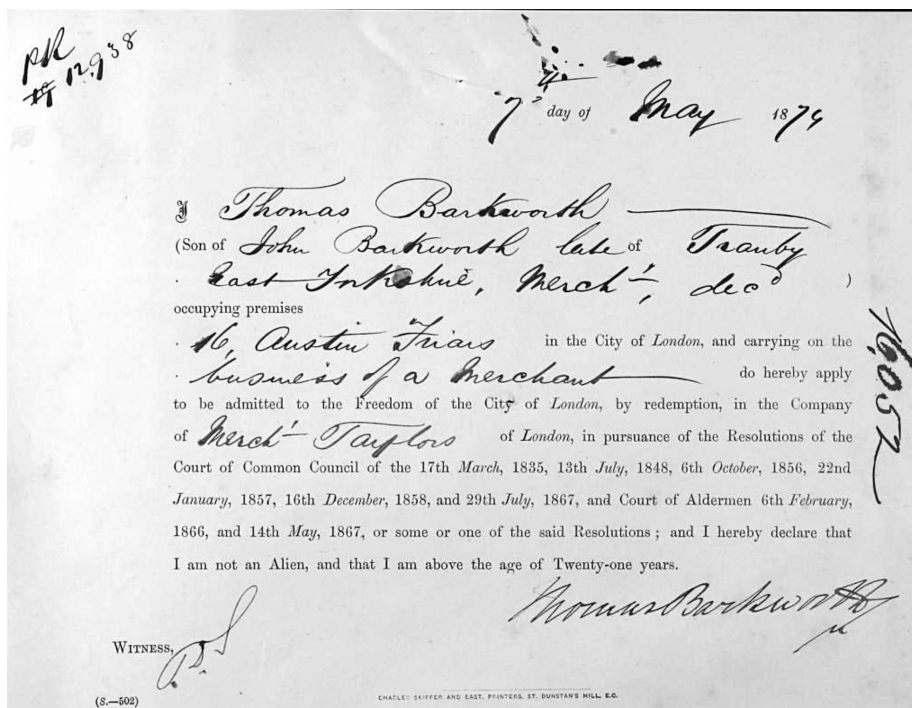
In 1871, at Bradbourne Villas, Sevenoaks, Kent, Thomas Bradwell, general merchant and insurance agent, aged 28, his wife Louisa 28, and son John Raymond aged 1.

In 1881, at Little West Hatch, Chigwell, Essex, Thomas Barkworth, J.P. Merchant, aged 38, at Sea; his wife Louisa 38, children, Louisa M 9, Alfred 7, Gwendolen 4, and Harold 2.

In 1891, at West Hatch, Chigwell, Essex, Thomas Barkworth, J.P. Merchant, aged 34, his wife Louisa 48, children, Louisa M 19, Alfred M 17, Gwendolen 14, and Harold 2.

In 1901, at 17, Second Ave, Hove, Essex, Thomas Barkworth, married, retired Colonial Merchant aged 59 (Paralytic), his daughters, Louisa M 29, and Gwendolen aged 24.

In 1911, at 10 Eaton Gardens, Hove, Essex, Thomas Barkworth, private means, aged 59 aged 68, his wife Louisa 68, and daughter, Gwendolen 34.



**Thomas Barkworth Freedom of the City of London**

Louisa Barkworth died 19<sup>th</sup> August 1911

Thomas Barkworth of 10 Eaton Gardens, Hove, died 31<sup>st</sup> October 1915, aged 73, at Victoria Terrace, Weymouth. Effects £2673 6s 9d

### Memorials in All Saints Church, Hessle, Yorkshire

A memorial window on the south wall of the south isle (beneath the Ascension window) of the extant All Saints Church in Hessle reads:

*In memory of John Barkworth, Esq. of Tranby House who died 28th March 1846, aged 58, and of Emma his wife, daughter of Joseph Boulderson, Esq., who died March 21st 1876, aged 80. This window a tribute of affection is here placed by their surviving children.*

On the east wall of the south isle is a marble memorial reading:

*In memory of John Barkworth, Esquire, who departed this life on the 18th of July 1815, aged fifty-seven years, and of Elizabeth his wife, who on the 30th day of December 1838, was during the enjoyment of domestic intercourse, suddenly snatched from the bosom of her family at the age of seventy-eight. This monument is erected by their children as a tribute of filial gratitude, to the departed worth of their most affectionate and indulgent parents.*

Source: <https://sites.rootsweb.com/~jray/boulderson/emma.htm>

### Henry Tuke Mennell

First elected to the Court of Assistants March 1884 remained a member up to 1899+ Henry Tuke Mennell, tea merchant, son of George Mennell and Hannah Tuke, he was born 19th June 1835, at Scarborough.

Henry Tuke Mennell, married Maria Bradley Newman on the 14<sup>th</sup> May 1868, at Peckham, registered at Camberwell.

### **Children**

Edward Newman born 2nd qtr 1871

Cristabel born 3rd qtr 1872

George Henry born 4th qtr 1873

Brian J

Marion M

Roger Dearman born 2nd qtr 1881

Robert Oscar born 3rd qtr 1882

Nora Beatrice born 2nd qtr 1884

In 1851, Henry Tuke Mennell aged 15, clerk in tea dealer's office, was living with his grandfather Samuel Tuke, widow, retired tea dealer & family at Holgate House, Holgate, Yorkshire.

In 1861, at St Andrew's Newcastle, George Mennell, coal owner &c., aged 50, his wife Hannah 49, children Henry T., coal \_\_\_\_\_, aged 26, Priscilla H 24, George, qualified chemist, aged 22, Samuel T 14, Ellen M 13, Wilfred J 7, and Edith 6.

In 1871, at London Road, Croydon, Henry T Mennell, wholesale tea merchant, aged 36, and his wife Maria B. aged 28.

In 1881, at Park Hill Rise, Croydon, Henry J. Mennell, tea dealer, aged 45, his wife Maria B. 38, children Edw. N. 9, Cristobel 8, Geo. H. 7, Brian T. 4, Marion M. 1, and Roger 1 month. In 1891, at Park Hill Rise, Croydon, Henry T Mennell, tea merchant, aged 55, his wife Maria B 48, children Edward N., tea merchants assistant, aged 19, Christabel 18, Brian T 14, Marion M 11, and Robert O. 8.

In 1901, at Park Hill Rise, Croydon, Henry T Mennell, tea merchant, aged 65, his wife Maria B 58, children Edward N, tea merchant, aged 29, Christabel 28, Bryan T. chartered accountant, aged 24, Roger D. builders apprentice, aged 20, Robert Oscar, tea dealers apprentice, aged 18.

On 22nd December 1908 at Charlbury, Oxfordshire, Roger D. Mennell, married Mary, daughter of William L. Wells, of Latrobe, Tasmania.

In 1911, at Redhouse, Park Rise, Croydon, Henry Tuke Mennell, wholesale tea merchant, aged 75, his wife Maria Bradley 68, and daughter Christabel, poor law guardian, aged 38.

Henry Tuke Mennell died 9<sup>th</sup> December 1923 aged 88.

### **John Schofield**

John Schofield first elected to the Court 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884, he was last elected to the Court 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1894

John Schofield stock and sharebroker he was chairman of The South Darren Silver Lead Company Limited and The Fryers creek Gold Mining Company Limited, both wound up in 1890/91.

John Schofield married Mary Ann Dick 12<sup>th</sup> September 1842, at Holy Trinity, Hull. Mary Ann. Mary Ann Schofield was buried 13<sup>th</sup> September 1855, aged 39, at All Saints, Edmonton, Enfield.

John Schofield, widower married Ellen Blomfield 6<sup>th</sup> June 1857, at St Margaret Lothbury, London.

In 1861, at Percy Lodge, Edmonton, John Schofield, member of stock exchange, aged 42, his wife Ellen 37, children Anne E 17, Mary E 15, Charles John 13, Sara I 11, Alfred 9, and Ellen 2.

In 1871, at Edmonton, Middlesex, John Schofield, member of stock exchange & landowner, aged 52, his wife Ellen 47, children, Ann Elizabeth 27, Mary Eleanor 25, Charles John, member of stock exchange, aged 23, Sarah Isababella 21, Alfred, Clerk, member of stock exchange, aged 19, Ellen 12, and Maud Blomfield 9.

In 1881, at Little Heath House, North Mimms, John Schofield, landowner member of London Stock exchange, aged 62, his wife Ellen 57, children, Anne Elizabeth 37, Mary Eleanor 35, Ellen 22, and Maud B 19,.

In 1891, at Little Heath, Wood House, North Mimms, John Schofield, agent Stockbroker, aged 72, his wife Ellen 67m children Mary Elinor 45, Alfred, Stockbroker, aged 39, Ellen 32, and Maud Blomfield 29.

John Schofield of Little Heath, Wood, North Mimms died 15<sup>th</sup> March 1899, Probate 18<sup>th</sup> May 1899. Effects £18,758 3s 2d.

## **Robert Skeet**

Robert Skeet was first elected to the Court of Assistants 4<sup>th</sup> March 1884, he was last elected 1<sup>st</sup> January 1889.

In 1851, at 3 North Parade, Sculcoates, Kingston upon Hull, Henry F Skeet, notary public, aged 53, his wife Ann 57, sons, Henry L, Articled Clerk to notary, aged 18, and Robert, Articled clerk to Attorney, aged 16.

In 1861, at 5 Windsor Ter, St Marylebone, Robert Skeet, notary Public, aged 61, his wife Jane C 49, children, Emma E 26, Jane C 20, Clara C 9, Florence C 7, Madeline Maude 4, Rosabel B 2, and nephew Robert Skeet, solicitor aged 27.

Robert Skeet married Alison Jane Wilby 16<sup>th</sup> May 1868, at St Michaels, Bishops Stortford.

In 1871, at Windhill, Bishops Stortford, Robert Skeet, Solicitor, aged 36, his wife Alison J 29, and son, Francis John Angus aged 2.

In 1881, at Windhill, Bishops Stortford, Robert Skeet, Solicitor, aged 47, his wife Alison J 39, and children Francis J A 12, Alison A 9, Frederick W 8, Eleanor 7, Alfred Henry 5, and Charles Anthony 3.

Robert Skeet of Wind Hill House, Bishops Stortford, died 16<sup>th</sup> May 1889, aged 55.

In 1891, at Windhill, Bishops Stortford, Alison J Skeet, widow, living on her own means, 49, and children Frederick W 18, Alfred H 15, and Charles A 13, and Eleanor A 19.

Alison Jane Skeet of Windhill, Bishops Stortford died 4<sup>th</sup> August 1903, aged 62.

## **Lieut. Col. Thomas Harvey Bramston**

Lieut. Col. Thomas Harvey Bramston was first elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January 1885, he served on the Court until at least 1899.

Thomas Harvey Bramston, Ensign Grenadier Guards 1849, Lieutenant 1854, Captain 1854. Served with the Rifle Brigade in the Kaffir War 1852-1853, and in the Crimea, present at Alma, Balaclava, Inkerman and Sebastopol. Lt Col in 1862 he sold his commission and retired.

Thomas William Bramston married Elizabeth Harvey (daughter of Admiral Sir Eliab Harvey Nugent, commander of HMS Temeraire at the Battle of Trafalgar) 12<sup>th</sup> August 1830, St George, Hanover Sq.

Thomas William Bramston was an M.P. for South Essex 1835 – 1865, and a Magistrate.

**Children of Thomas W and Elizabeth Bramston:**

1. Thomas Harvey born 11<sup>th</sup> May 1831, baptised 20<sup>th</sup> June 1831, at Saint Mary, St Marylebone, London
2. John born 14<sup>th</sup> November 1832, married Eliza Isabella Russel 14<sup>th</sup> December 1872, Sir John Bramston, GCMG, CB, was a politician in Queensland Australia and a British colonial government administrator in Queensland and Hong Kong. He then served as Assistant Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies in London for 20 years.
3. Georgina baptised 11<sup>th</sup> February 1834, at Essex
4. William Moundeford born 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1835, married Hyacinth Laura Chetwode 7<sup>th</sup> July 1868, Vicar of Minster in Sheppey.
5. Henry baptised 28<sup>th</sup> September 1836, at Essex
6. Eliza Harriet baptised 12<sup>th</sup> January 1838, at Essex
7. William born 2<sup>nd</sup> June 1841, baptised 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1841, at St Peter, Eaton Square, Pimlico
8. Emma Alice born 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1843, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> August 1843, at St George, Hanover Square.

In 1841, at Eaton Place, St George, Hanover Square, Thomas Wm Bramston, independent, aged 40, his wife Elizabeth 40, children, John 8, Georgina 7, William 6, Henry 4, Elizabeth 3, and new born 5 days.

Thomas William Bramston of Skreens, Essex died 21<sup>st</sup> May 1871, at Ecclestone Sq., Middlesex.

In 1861, at 6 Charles Street, St James, Hanover Sq., lodger, Thomas H Bramston, captain Grenadier Guards, aged 29.

Lieut. Col. Thomas Harvey Bramston married Honoria Louisa Thornhill 7<sup>th</sup> April 1864, at St James, Piccadilly.

In 1881, at 24 Eaton Place, Knightsbridge, Thomas H Bramston, retired field officer, aged 49, and his wife Hanoria L 39.

In 1901, at Old Burlington St., St James, Westminster, lodger, Thomas H Bramston, married, retired army field officer, aged 61

Thomas Harvey Bramston died 1<sup>st</sup> qtr 1911, aged 79.

Hanoria Louisa Bramston died 30<sup>th</sup> June 1821, at 3 Washington House, Basildon, Middlesex.



**Thomas Harvey Bramston**  
Source: National Portrait Gallery

## **Edward Horne**

Edward Horne first elected to the Court of Assistants, 6<sup>th</sup> January 1885, he served until his death in 1898.

James Horne of Southwark, wholesale Tea dealer, son of Anthony Horne (Coal Merchant, a Quaker, died 28<sup>th</sup> March 1816, aged 59), married Mary Ann Driver daughter of William Driver, land surveyor, 15<sup>th</sup> April 1813 at the Quaker meeting House Horselydown, Southwark. James continued as a Tea Dealer until his fathers death in 1816, after which he gives his occupation as Coal Merchant.

### **Children of James and Mary Ann Horne:**

1. James born 4<sup>th</sup> March 1814, Horselydown, Surrey, baptised 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1841, at Battersea, James Horne (Coal Merchant) married Mary Mihill Ann Slaughter, they had two boys James Edward Horne born 1841, and Joseph White Horne born 1846 (Vicar at Reigate & Islington)
2. Sophia Elizabeth, born 11<sup>th</sup> August 1817, Horselydown, Surrey, baptised 16<sup>th</sup> July 1841, at Battersea
3. Susan born 13<sup>th</sup> April 1821, Horselydown, Surrey
4. Charles born 6<sup>th</sup> June 1823, Horselydown

5. Fanny born 4<sup>th</sup> April 1824, Horselydown, Surrey, baptised 12<sup>th</sup> January 1856, at Battersea

**6. Edward** born 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1829, Horselydown, Surrey

In 1841, at Clapham Common, Battersea, James Horne, Independent, aged 50, his wife Mary 20, daughters, Sophia 20, Susan 20, and Fanny 15.

In 1851, at Clapham Common, Battersea, James Horne, Merchant, aged 63, his wife Mary aged 60, children, Susan 29, Fanny 25, and Edward 22.

James Horne buried 19<sup>th</sup> May 1857, at St. Giles, Camberwell, Surrey, Nunhead Cemetery, Southwark, probate 26<sup>th</sup> November 1857 or, England

In 1861, at Clapham Common Mary A Horne, widow, fundholder, aged 69, daughters, Susan 39, and Fanny White, married, aged 36.

Mary Ann Horne of Clapham Common died 13<sup>th</sup> September 1870, aged 79, probate of her will 29<sup>th</sup> September 1870, sole Executor was Frederick Halsey Janson.

**6. Edward Horne** married Laura Elizabeth Barchard (father Albert Wildman Barchard) 11<sup>th</sup> October 1855, at St Anne, Church, Wandsworth.

In 1861, Guildford, Surrey, Edward Horne, fundholder, aged 32, his wife Laura E 29, and daughter Edith L 5 months (baptised 8<sup>th</sup> December 1861, at St Anne, Wandsworth).

In 1871, at Park House, Reigate, Surrey, Edward Horne, gentleman, aged 42, his wife Laura Elizabeth 39, and daughter, Edith Laura 10.

In 1881, at Park House, Park Road, Reigate, Surrey, Edward Horne, Civil Engineer, not in practice, aged 52, his wife Laura 49, daughter, Edith L 20, and visitor Mary Ward, widow, annuitant, aged 65.

In 1891, at Park House, Reigate, Surrey, Edward Horne, magistrate, aged 62, his wife Laura Elizabeth 59, and daughter, Edith Laura 30.

Edward Horne of Park House, Reigate, Surrey, died 27<sup>th</sup> October 1898, probate London 2<sup>nd</sup> December 1898 to Henry Gaselee, barrister at law and the reverend Joseph White Horne clerk. Effects £8568 5s 9d.

In St Phillip's Church, Reigate, is pulpit given in 1898 in memory of Mr Edward Horne, one of the Trustees.

In 1911, at Park House, Reigate, Laura Elizabeth Horne, widow, private means, aged 78, and daughter Edith Laura 50.

Laura Elizabeth Horne of Park House, Reigate, Surrey, died 13<sup>th</sup> October 1918 probate London 5<sup>th</sup> December 1918 to Henry Gaselee, barrister. Effects £8795 183 4d.

## **Charles Molyneux Grenfell**

Charles Molyneux Grenfell signed the declaration 14<sup>th</sup> January 1890 to become a member of the Company, he was first elected to the Court of Assistants 6<sup>th</sup> January



1891, he was elected to the Court 5<sup>th</sup> January 1892 but he resigned his seat on the Court.

Charles Molyneux Grenfell son of Charles William (M.P.) and Georgina Caroline Grenfell, born 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1857, baptized 4<sup>th</sup> July 1857, at St Peter, Pimlico, London. He enlisted as a Sub-Lieutenant in the 10<sup>th</sup> Hussars 11<sup>th</sup> November 1876.

Mabel Blanch Mills married Charles Molyneux Grenfell (Lieut. 10<sup>th</sup> Hussars) 12<sup>th</sup> January 1887, at St Mark's Chapel, Westminster

Charles Molyneux Grenfell of Blackwell Hall, Chesham, applied to be re-elected to the Stock Exchange for the year commencing 25<sup>th</sup> March 1889.

In 1891, at Latimer House, Chesham, Bucks., Charles M Grenfell, married, retired officer 10<sup>th</sup> Hussars, aged 33, was visiting his cousin Charles C W Cavendish, aged 40, Peer of the Realm.

In 1891, Maud Blanche Grenfell aged 27 and her daughter Sylvia C aged 2 were visiting her father and mother at Wilderness House, Seal, Kent.

In 1901, at 8 Chester Street, Knightsbridge, Charles Grenfell, army officer reserve, aged 43, his wife Mabel 37, and daughter, Sylvia 13

In 1911, at 7 Half Moon Street, boarder, Charles Molyneux Grenfell, married, retired from Army, aged 54. In 1911, Mabel Blanche Grenfell aged 47, and her daughter Sylvia Caroline aged 23, were visiting her Mother at Wilderness House, Sevenoaks, Kent.

Charles Molyneux Grenfell of Blackwell Hall, Chesham, Buckinghamshire, died 16<sup>th</sup> November 1915, at 7 Half Moon Street.

Mabel Blanche Grenfell of Frant Road, Tunbridge Wells, widow, died 8<sup>th</sup> October 1936.

## **Location of the Company Office of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit-Coal and Sea-Coal**

**1692 – 1696 Sadlers Hall, Cheapside, London.**

**27<sup>th</sup> February 1705 at Vernon's Coffee House Bartholemew Lane**

That all meetings of the General court and Court of Assistants shall from & after the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March next be held at the dwelling house of **Dr Edward Wright** at the sign of the Ship near the Monument.

**8<sup>th</sup> July 1707 LLC 3**

A warrant was drawn on the treasurer (Edward Wright) to pay himself for two years rent for the Court room and Counting house.

**London Gazette Number 5856**

**31<sup>st</sup> May 1720**

Notice is hereby given, That a General Court of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit-Coal and Sea-Coal, is appointed to be held at **Pewterers Hall, in Lime Street** on Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon; and that the Books of the said Corporation will be shut on the 26<sup>th</sup> instants in order to make out Warrants for the Midsummer Dividend, and will open again in the 30<sup>th</sup>.

**31<sup>st</sup> March 1724 LLC 5**

Mr James Creed reported. That at the desire & request of the Court he had taken an assignment of a lease bearing date 1<sup>st</sup> March 1723 of Mr Charles Portales for his Counting House for the Company's use situated in **Bartholomew Lane in a Back Court** under the dwelling house of Mrs Grace Carpenter widow, and had paid him thirty guineas as per receipt, for the desk and the rest of the furniture which cost above double the sum.

**London Gazette Number 6436**

**December 25, 1725.**

This is to give Notice, That a Court of the Governour and Company for Smelting down Lead, &c. will be held at Mr. James Creed's, Merchant, in Minting' Lane, on Thursday the 6<sup>th</sup> of January next, at Ten in the Forenoon, for the Electing a Governour, Deputy Governour, and Affistants for the year ending, according to the Appointment of their Charter.

Lists may he had at their Office in **Bartholomew-Lane**, behind the Royal Exchange, on the 29<sup>th</sup> Instant', and the Warrants for Christmas Dividend the 5<sup>th</sup> of January.

T . Usher, Secr.

**December 1729** at Bartholomew-Lane, behind the Royal Exchange

**Lease of a House in Ingram Court** Fenchurch Street for fourteen years from 25<sup>th</sup> March 1728 to Mr Diamond and by him assigned to the Company.

Dec 1742 at Ingram Court, Fenchurch-street

**January 1743** took a lease for a house (No. 9) in **St Martins Lane, Cannon Street** to closure of Company 1911.

## Members of the Court and dates of service

	Role	Forename	Surname	Quaker or Other	Occupation	1st Year member of the Court	Last Year on the Court	1st Year Deputy Gov	Last Year Deputy Gov	1st year Elected Governor	Last Year Elected Governor
1	Governor	Richard	Owen	O		1692				1692	1704
2	Governor	Samuel	Davis	O		1705	1711			1705	1707
3	Governor	Urban	Hall	O	Fishmonger Canary Merchant	1705				1707	1730
4	Governor	Enoch	Floyd	O	Merchant	1705		1705	1729	1730	1730
5	Governor	Charles	du Bois	O	Silk Merchant	1707				1731	1733
6	Governor	John	Freame	Q	Banker	1730		1732	1733	1734	1742
7	Governor	Cornelius jnr	Mason	O	Hide & Pelt Merchant	1732		1734	1743	1743	1752
8	Governor	Thomas	Hyam	Q	Merchant Weaver	1737		1743	1752	1752	1763
9	Governor	James	Matthias	O	Merchant	1754		1758	1763	1763	1782
10	Governor	Jacob jnr	Hagen	Q	Stave Merchant	1751		1763	1782	1782	1795
11	Governor	Francis	Cooper jnr	O	Wine Marchant	1781		1792	1795	1795	1811
12	Governor	Jacob (son of Jacob jnr)	Hagen	Q	Stave Merchant	1784		1810	1811	1811	1817
13	Governor	James	Palmer	O	Hospital Treasurer	1787		1811	1817	1818	1823
14	Governor	Thomas How	Masterman	Q	Goldsmith	1790		1818	1823	1824	1824
15	Governor	John	Hillersdon	O	Deputy Governor of London Assurance	1808		1824	1824	1824	1839

16	Governor	John	Masterman	Q	Banker & MP	1812		1824	1839	1840	1859
17	Governor	Octavius	Wigram	Q	Brewer	1818		1840	1859	1860	1869
18	Governor	John William	Birch	O	Banker	1858		1860	1868	1869	1883
19	Governor	William Knox	Wigram	O	Barrister	1870		1882		1884	1884
20	Governor	Frederick Halsey	Janson	O	Solicitor	1883				1884	1899
21	Governor	William John	Foskett	O	Merchant	1884		1889	1899	1900	1905
22	Dep Gov	George	Moore	O	Merchant	1692	1696	1692	1693		
23	Dep Gov	Thomas	Addison	O	Lessee of Mines	1692		1694	1696		
24	Dep Gov	Samuel	Beachcroft	O	Clothworker	1708		1730	1731		
25	Dep Gov	Timothy	Colston	O	Merchant Tailor	1738		1752	1758		
26	Dep Gov	John	Crellius	O	Cordwainer	1754		1782	1789		
27	Dep Gov	Thomas	Cogan	O	Haberdasher	1761		1790	1792		
28	Dep Gov	Richard	Chester	Q	Furrier	1774		1795	1810		
29	Dep Gov	Henry	Tritton	Q	Banker	1843		1869	1877		
30	Dep Gov	John Garratt	Cattley	O	Merchant	1849		1884	1884		
31	Dep Gov	Herbert	Bernard	O	Banker	1859		1877	1881		
32	Dep Gov	Leonard	Shuter	O	Timber Merchant	1884	1899	1884	1886		
33	Assistant	Richard	Adams	O	Company Treasurer	1692	1696				
34	Assistant	Henry	Austin	O		1692	1696				
35	Assistant	Francis	Baker	O		1692	1693				
36	Assistant	William	Bawmer	O	Tallow Chandler	1692	1695				
37	Assistant	Talbot	Clerke	O	Owned Smelt Works	1692	1696				

38	Assistant	George	Clerke	O	Owned Smelt Works	1692	1696
39	Assistant	Matthias	Cupper	O		1692	1696
40	Assistant	Matthew	Fowler	O		1692	1693
41	Assistant	John	Franke	O		1692	1693
42	Assistant	Gabriel	Glover	O		1692	1696
43	Assistant	Richard	Goodall	O		1692	1696
44	Assistant	John	Henley	O	Lawyer & MP	1692	1696
45	Assistant	Captain Edward	Le Neve	O	Customs Searcher	1692	1696
46	Assistant	Sir Henry	Marwood	O	MP	1692	1696
47	Assistant	John	Moore	O	Fishmonger	1692	1696
48	Assistant	William	Moore	O	Wharfinger	1692	1696
49	Assistant	Thomas	Nix	O		1692	1696
50	Assistant	Francis	Parry	O	Commissionar for Excise	1692	1696
51	Assistant	Thomas	Renda	O	MP	1692	1696
52	Assistant	Francis	Scobell	O	Lawyer	1692	1696
53	Assistant	Henry	Tate	O	Partner in a Brewery	1692	1696
54	Assistant	Constantine	Vernatti	O	Merchant	1692	1696
55	Assistant	John	Barkstead	O		1693	1693
56	Assistant	John	Clarke	O	Messenger	1705	1705
57	Assistant	Thomas	Cooper	Q	Merchant Tailor	1705	1716
58	Assistant	Christopher	Crell	O	Doctor	1705	1711
59	Assistant	Peter	De Lannoy	O	Dyer	1705	1711
60	Assistant	Jacob	Franklyn	Q	Vintner	1705	1710
61	Assistant	John	Haddon	Q	Blacksmnith	1705	1724

62	Assistant	Thomas	Kirby	O	Share in a Lead Works	1705	1705
63	Assistant	Edward	Leeds	O	Mercer	1705	1729
64	Assistant	Cornelius	Mason snr	Q	Skinner	1705	1705
65	Assistant	Richard	Matthew	O	Factor	1705	1707
66	Assistant	Edward	Wright	Q	Chemist/Dr	1705	1728
67	Assistant	Nathaniel	Matson	O	Merchant	1706	1719
68	Assistant	Joseph	Grove	Q	Merchant, Land & Ship owner	1712	1714
69	Assistant	Joseph	Heale	Q	Distiller	1712	1720
70	Assistant	Humphrey	Hill snr	O/Q	Brewer	1712	1716
71	Assistant	William	Smith	O		1715	1730
72	Assistant	Benjamin	Hopkins	Q	Vintner	1717	1730
73	Assistant	Isaac 1/7/5/1	Warner	O		1717	1717
74	Assistant	Arthur	Woolley	O	Goldsmith	1717	1730
75	Assistant	James	Creed	O	Manufacturer of White Lead	1721	1721
76	Assistant	Edward jnr	Leeds	O	Lawyer	1721	1730
77	Assistant	John	Toms	O	Maltster	1721	1730
78	Assistant	Dr Thomas	Walsh	O	Doctor	1721	1727
79	Assistant	Humphrey	Hill jnr	Q/O	Silk Merchant	1725	1731
80	Assistant	Capt. John	Wall	O	Trinity House	1728	1729
81	Assistant	John	Gray	Q	Distiller	1729	1730
82	Assistant	Matthews	Beachcroft	O	Banker	1730	1732
83	Assistant	Michael	Russell snr	Q	Weaver	1730	1741
84	Assistant	Edmund	Stevens	O	Grocer	1730	1734
85	Assistant	Thomas	Boddington	O	Levant Merchant	1731	1754
86	Assistant	Sollum	Emlyn	O	Lawyer	1731	1754

87	Assistant	William	Foster	O/Q	Leather Seller	1731	1735
88	Assistant	Lascells	Metcalfe	Q	upholsterer	1731	1733
89	Assistant	Captain John	Werry	O	of Trinity House	1731	1741
90	Assistant	John	Knight	Q	Lawyer	1732	1740
91	Assistant	Simeon 1	Warner snr	Q	Timber Merchant	1732	1744
92	Assistant	Thomas	Gordon	O	Commissioner of Wine Licenses	1733	1746
93	Assistant	Jacob	Harvey	O		1733	1744
94	Assistant	Jacob	Hagen snr	Q	Merchant	1734	1750
95	Assistant	William	Hodgson	Q	Tallow Chandler	1734	1754
96	Assistant	Robert	Brown	O	Skinner	1735	1762
97	Assistant	John	Peele	O	Tobacco Cooper	1737	1743
98	Assistant	Clement	Bellamy	O	Merchant	1741	1748
99	Assistant	Waldo Du	Bois	O	Haberdasher	1742	1748
100	Assistant	Michael	Russell jnr	Q	Merchant	1743	1750
101	Assistant	Captain Nathaniel	Werry	O	of Trinity House	1743	1754
102	Assistant	Lascells	Metcalfe jnr	Q	Merchant Tailor	1744	1756
103	Assistant	John	Plant	Q	Linen Draper	1746	1748
104	Assistant	John	Tucker	O	MP	1748	1778
105	Assistant	Thomas	Salter	O	Clerk of the Royal Household	1749	1754

106	Assistant	Francis	Cooper	O	Brewery Trade	1750	1759
107	Assistant	William	Ockenden	Q/O	MP & Engineer	1750	1755
108	Assistant	Henry	Marshall	O	Painter & Stainer	1753	1755
109	Assistant	James	Ennis	O	Tallow Chandler	1755	1757
110	Assistant	William	Palmer	O		1755	1764
111	Assistant	William	Pitts	Q	Distiller	1755	1760
112	Assistant	Jacob 1/10	Warner	O	Coal Factor	1755	1758
113	Assistant	Thomas	Emlyn	O	Barrister	1756	1779
114	Assistant	Peter	Stapel	O	Merchant	1757	1784
115	Assistant	Simeon 3/5	Warner	Q	Coal Factor	1759	1766
116	Assistant	Robert	Cooper	O	Wine Cooper	1760	1770
117	Assistant	John	Miers	Q	Tin Plate Worker	1760	1780
118	Assistant	Devereux	Bowly	Q	Clock Maker	1761	1772
119	Assistant	James	Champain	O	Wine Merchant	1761	1776
120	Assistant	Thomas	Thomas jnr	O	Merchant	1761	1765
121	Assistant	Daniel	Mildred snr	Q	Tobacco Merchant & Banker	1765	1787
122	Assistant	Edward	Athawes	O	Tobacco Merchant	1766	1766
123	Assistant	John	Masterman	Q	Goldsmith	1767	1786
124	Assistant	William	Mills	Q	Tin Plate worker	1767	1776
125	Assistant	John	Stiegler	O	Copperas Merchant	1768	1773



126	Assistant	Samuel	Athawes	O	Tobacco Merchant	1769	1783
127	Assistant	Robert Harris	Cooper	O	Wine Merchant	1773	1791
128	Assistant	Edwin	Sandys	O	MP	1774	1782
129	Assistant	Charles	Mills snr	O	Banker	1777	1817
130	Assistant	Thomas	Weston jnr	Q	Tobacconist	1777	1791
131	Assistant	Simeon 1/10/1	Warner	O	Wheel Wright/Coal Factor	1784	1805
132	Assistant	Benjamin	Lutkins	O	Merchant	1785	1798
133	Assistant	Isaac 1/7/5	Warner	O	Merchant	1788	1816
134	Assistant	Charles	Pearson	O	Haberdasher & Copperas Merchant	1791	1817
135	Assistant	John	Heylyn	O	Solicitor	1793	1796
136	Assistant	Robert	Barclay	Q	Banker	1794	1815
137	Assistant	Robert	Hennell	O	Silversmith	1796	1811
138	Assistant	Hagger	Allis	Q	Brewer	1799	1809
139	Assistant	Kilpin 1/10/1/1	Warner	O	Seedsman	1806	1838
140	Assistant	Anthony	Horne	Q	Coal Merchant	1812	1816
141	Assistant	James	Williams	O	Solicitor	1812	1843
142	Assistant	Robert	Barclay jnr	Q	Banker	1816	1848
143	Assistant	James	Horne	Q	Merchant	1816	1855
144	Assistant	Thomas	Poynder jnr	O	Builder & Treasurer of Christs Hospital	1817	1840
145	Assistant	Richard Peckover	Harris	Q	Cornfactor	1818	1845
146	Assistant	Charles	Mills jnr	O	Banker	1818	1854
147	Assistant	Charles jnr	Pearson	O	Merchant	1818	1835

148	Assistant	Simeon 1/7/5/4	Warner jnr	O	Wholesale Linen draper	1824	1865
149	Assistant	Henry	Tritton	Q	Banker	1825	1838
150	Assistant	Richard	Sanderson	O	Banker & MP	1836	1857
151	Assistant	Daniel 5/4	Mildred jnr	Q	Banker	1838	1858
152	Assistant	Frederick	Reade	O	Customs House clerk	1838	1844
153	Assistant	Richard	Alsager	O	Captain East India Co.	1840	1841
154	Assistant	John	Dimsdale	O	Banker	1841	1851
155	Assistant	Thomas Henry Allan	Poynder	O	Treasurer of Christs Hospital	1842	1859
156	Assistant	William	Gladstone	O	Merchant	1846	1871
157	Assistant	Richard Peckover	Harris	Q	Cornfactor	1847	1850
158	Assistant	Henry Ford	Barclay	O	Colonial Broker	1850	1884
159	Assistant	Isaac	Braithwaite	Q	Stockbroker	1851	1884
160	Assistant	George Grenfell	Glyn	O	Banker	1852	1863
161	Assistant	Charles Henry	Mills	O	Banker & MP	1855	1877
162	Assistant	Edward	Masterman	Q/O	Banker	1861	1884
163	Assistant	George Wodehouse	Currie	O	Banker	1865	1886
164	Assistant	David Simpson	Morice	O	Solicitor	1865	1881
165	Assistant	Henry Hucks	Gibbs	O	Banker & MP	1866	1871
166	Assistant	Samuel Christie	Miller	O	Hat Maker & MP	1873	1884
167	Assistant	Charles William	Mills	O	Banker	1878	1884
168	Assistant	Thomas	Barkworth	O	Merchant	1884	1884
169	Assistant	Henry Tuke	Mennell	Q	Tea Dealer	1884	1899+

170	Assistant	John	Schofield	O	Stockbroker	1884	1894
171	Assistant	Robert	Skeet	O	Solicitor	1884	1889
172	Assistant	Thomas Harvey	Bramston	O	Army Officer	1885	1899+
173	Assistant	Edward	Horne	O	Civil Engineer	1885	1898
174	Assistant	Charles Molyneux	Grenfell	O	Army Officer	1891	1891

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